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GERMANS DRIVEN BACK 25 MILES

LOSE 45,000 MEN IN KILLED ALONE

A POWERFUL break-through by General Zhukhov's armies on a 75 miles' front between Rzhev and Vyazma, north-west and west of Moscow, was disclosed last night as Stalingrad braced itself for siege by the immense Panzer forces beating east towards the great Volga waterway.

After a great 15-day offensive, Rzhev, 130 miles from Moscow and one of the German strongholds on the central front covering Smolensk, is menaced by Soviet troops now fighting in the city outskirts.

A special communiqué from the Soviet capital said that the German forces have been driven back from 25 to 30 miles, and have already lost 45,000 men killed.

In their drive the Russian troops have so far recaptured 610 inhabited places, including the towns of Zubtsov, 20 miles east of Rzhev, Karmanovo and Pogoreloye-Gorodishche, ten miles from Zubtsov. Immense German losses in material include 250 tanks and 757 guns captured and 324 tanks and 343 guns destroyed, and the destruction of German 'planes totalled 542.—(Reuter.)

ADVANCE ON 75-MILE FRONT

MOSCOW, Wednesday.—A special announcement from the Soviet Information Bureau to-night states:—"Our troops on the central and Kalinin fronts have passed to the offensive and broken through the enemy defences. The German troops have been thrown back from 40 to 50 kilometres. About 15 days ago the offensive was launched in the Rzhev and Gahatsk-Vyasma directions, with the Soviet forces employing part of their effectives.

75-MILE FRONT

"The blow delivered by our troops in the first days of the offensive broke down the enemy defences along a front of 75 miles. Developing the offensive and inflicting blows on the enemy, our troops routed the 161st, 342nd, 292nd, 129th and 6th and 256th German infantry divisions, the 14th and 36th mechanised divisions and the 2nd tank division, and heavily mauled the 1st and 5th tank divisions, the 328th, 183rd and the 78th infantry divisions.

"The German front in these directions was pushed back from 40 to 50 kilometres. Up to August 20th our troops liberated 610 inhabited localities, including the towns of Zubtsov, Karmanovo and Pogoreloye. According to incomplete data, our troops captured the following booty:—250 tanks, 757 guns, 567 mortars, 1,615 machine-guns, 929 anti-tank guns and automatics, 11,100 rifles, 17,090 mines, 2,311,750 rounds of ammunition, 32,473 shells, 65 radio transmitters, 2,220 lorries, 959 motor-cycles, 1,959 bicycles, 52 tractor cars, 37 field kitchens, 340 wagons, were halted by German troops and driven back in hard hand-to-hand and tank-to-tank fighting."—(Reuter.)

OVER THE DON

MOSCOW, Wednesday.—Reuter's Correspondent here states that German panzer columns, protected by a tremendous air umbrella and backed up by divisions of motorised troops, are still pouring across the Don in a steady stream. They are advancing from the north-west in the direction of the Stalingrad-Moscow railway, and fierce battles are swaying across the open Steppes, only one day's march from the outskirts of the city.

The latest reports from the south-western sector indicate that the Germans are being held, and in the past 24 hours Soviet forces have not only repelled all German attacks, but have also launched several counter-attacks and forced a number of German units back to their starting point. "The German break-through in this direction has been delayed, but this cannot conceal the fact that the position remains extremely grave. In the city the entire population is actively mobilised for defence. Thousands of men and women, and even children, are digging anti-tank trenches and building fortifications.

GERMAN SPEED

"The most critical point of the German drive is north-west of the city, where the Germans have succeeded in deploying and advancing with surprising speed on the Don's east bank. *Red Star* reports that after fierce fighting the enemy found a gap in the Soviet defences and penetrated deeply into the defenders' lines."

"In the Caucasus, German pressure at Prokhladnaya has been held during the past 24 hours, but Red Army troops there are outnumbered by the Germans, who are using strong Panzer units. Latest despatches say that the enemy is attempting to throw pontoon bridges across the Terek River, which indicates that the main direction of their advance is still towards the Groxny oilfield, 80 miles from the river bend."

"Soviet 'planes have sunk two torpedo boats, four patrol boats and five barges carrying troops on Lake Ladoga, east of Leningrad. The Germans were apparently trying to send reforcements to their lines on the Neva and Volkhov Rivers. The attack was made by 'planes from the Baltic Fleet air arm. Three Soviet 'planes were damaged, but all returned to their base."

MOSCOW, Wednesday Night.—Reuter's Special Correspondent here states: "The Red Army has overwhelmed the enemy. This is a considerable achievement, as the Germans have since last winter built up a very powerful system of permanent defence lines with thousands of pill-boxes and firing points giving cross-fire, minefields and trenches. Soviet success is due to the most careful and secret planning, preparation, and concentration of reserve.

"In the offensive, Soviet artillery has played a big part in making the important break-through possible. Soviet tanks are taking part in the offensive, and the ground forces are receiving very strong air support."

SOVIET COMMUNIQUE

MOSCOW, Wednesday.—To-night's Soviet communiqué states:—"During August 26 our troops fought the enemy in the areas south-east of Kletskaya, north-west of Stalingrad, north-east of Kotelnikovo, and in the areas of Prokhladnaya, Mozdok, and south of Krasnodar.

"As a result of a successful offensive on the central and Kalinin fronts, our troops liberated 610 inhabited places, including the towns of Zubtsov, Karmonov and Pogoreloye-Gorodische.

"In the area of Prokhladnaya an enemy force which had crossed the river was wiped out."

"North-east of Kletskaya our troops fought active engagements, and on some sectors pressed the enemy back. Six German guns, two tanks and eight machine guns were destroyed, and about two companies of enemy infantry wiped out.

"In the area north-west of Stalingrad intense fighting continued. The enemy concentrated here strong forces of tanks and infantry, and under cover of his air force is ceaselessly attacking our positions. Our troops are beating the enemy attacks back, and at the same time dealing harder blows to the German Fascist troops."

The communiqué's reference to Mozdok indicates a new German thrust 30 miles east along the railway from Prokhladnaya, and brings the Germans into the fringe of the Groxny oil region and only 50 miles from Groxny itself.

SUGAR FOR FRUIT

The large apple crop this year in Eire is likely to prove as much a problem as a blessing, since the shortage of sugar will mean that smaller quantities of apples will be consumed by householders. The position in regard to special sugar for householders is not clear, but, as the supplies have necessitated a reduction of the ordinary ration, some effect on the jam ration must be expected.

Jam manufacturers are only assured of normal supplies of sugar up to the end of October next, and after that their position must relate itself to the supply, which is, in turn, conditioned by the yield from the beet harvest, which is expected to be lower than normal this year. Manufacturers' dry cooking apples in the usual form of rings will need sugar when used in the household, unless people can accustom themselves to take them without sugar.

Apples and other fruit can be bottled without sugar. In the case of plums the bottling is done by washing them in cold water, packing them into jars, filling the jars to the shoulder with water, and then cooking them in a very slow oven with the lids on for about five hours, and covering them with mutton fat after they have cooled overnight. Apples, cored and peeled and cut into quarters, can be preserved in the same way.

DUBLIN CALLING DUBLIN

Dublin is to send radio greetings to Dublin to-night.

The greetings will come from Station WRUL, Dublin, New Hampshire, in the United States of America. They will be heard—in atmospheric conditions permitting—in Dublin, Ireland, by all short-wave radio "fans" who care to listen to their fellow citizens 3,000 miles away. A rebroadcast will be given on August 31st.

News of the fraternal broadcast reached the *Irish Times* yesterday by cable from Station WRUL, which added the request: "Please urge all short-wave listeners in Dublin to listen and write us reception." We willingly endorse their request to our readers.

TIMES, WAVELENGTHS

Here are the times, the wavelengths, and the station identification numbers for listeners:—

TO-NIGHT—5 p.m., Eastern War Time in the U.S.A. (10 p.m., Irish Time); 11.79 metres and 15.35 metres; Station WRUL, located at Boston, Mass.

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Cut this out, and keep it for to-night and for August 31st. Station WRUL wants to know what reception will be like. If you listen-in to-night, will you telephone the *Irish Times* after the broadcast, and tell us where and how you received it?

Station WRUL is owned and operated by World Radio University, at Boston, Mass.

"NAMESAKE"

Greetings programmes have been "beamed" to many towns and cities in England from their "namesake" towns in the United States during the last few years, but this is the first occasion on which an American town has broadcast fraternally to a specific town in Eire.

Dublin, New Hampshire, is one of the many Dublins in the United States (the largest is Dublin, Georgia, population over 7,000). It is situated on the Connecticut River, in the south-west corner of the State, about 75 miles from Boston and 220 miles due north of New York City.

The population is 200-300. New Hampshire's Dublin is a summer and winter resort—famous in winter for its ski-ing and snow sports.

It was to this Dublin that Mr. Vincent Chapin, late Secretary to the American Legation, made the trans-Atlantic 'phone call to Mrs. Chapin before his return to the United States which so puzzled the Dublin, Eire, telephone operators. "I want — Dublin," said Mr. Chapin. "You are in Dublin," replied the operator. "I know that," said the Secretary, "but not the Dublin I want to speak to."

Other United States Dublins are in the States of Texas, Indiana, Kentucky, Mississippi, North Carolina, Ohio, Pennsylvania and Virginia.

BAN OFF "DAILY WORKER"

The ban imposed on the *Daily Worker* under the British Defence Regulations nineteen months ago was raised by the Home Secretary yesterday. Notification was given to the management in a letter which indicated that the ban could be re-imposed "if at any future date there should be systematic publication of matter calculated to foment opposition to the prosecution of the war to a successful issue."

Mr. William Rust, editor of the *Daily Worker*, stated last night: "The decision is a victory for national unity at a perilous moment. . . . The *Daily Worker* will devote itself to the securing of the maximum mobilisation of Britain's resources in the fight for victory. . . ." He adds that printing arrangements are in hand, but owing to difficulties arising from the destruction of their presses by war action it will not be possible to resume publication until September 7. The re-appearance of the *Daily Worker* will, therefore, coincide with the opening of the Trades Union Congress at Blackpool.

CATTLE EXPORTS CONFERENCE

UNSATISFACTORY PRICES

A CONFERENCE between Major Orme, of the British Ministry of Food, and representatives of the Department of Agriculture and Irish cattle trade was held at Government Buildings yesterday, and various questions relating to exports of cattle were gone into.

It is understood that the British representative seeks to bring about an arrangement by which it will be possible for his Ministry to know in advance how many cattle are being shipped from this country to Britain in a given week.

The cattle traders' representatives, it is understood, were unable to give any assurance of numbers because of the unsatisfactory prices being received for cattle in Britain at the moment. If prices were improved it probably would be possible to give a fairly accurate forecast of the numbers likely to be shipped.

LATE NEWS

IN NEW GUINEA

JAPANESE LANDING

A Japanese landing of ground forces at Milne Bay, New Guinea, during the night from a small convoy, in face of strong Allied air opposition, was officially announced early to-day in despatches from Allied Headquarters in the South-West Pacific, quoted by Reuter and the Associated Press. Allied bombers sunk a transport and heavily damaged and probably sank a cruiser and damaged a destroyer.

An Australian communiqué states that Allied ground forces were in contact with the Japanese.

One of the Allied bombers was shot down, the communiqué adds. Bombers and fighters heavily bombed and strafed the Japanese barges, supplies and personnel on shore.

VIOLENCE IN INDIA

BOMBAY, Wednesday.—Delayed reports from Bihar to-day gave details of a number of cases of mob violence, leading to firing by troops or police.

At Sultanganjwn troops fired on a crowd which fired property, and six people were killed. At Dumchanch, in the Hazaribagh district, two persons were killed and five injured when the police fired on a crowd which attacked a district magistrate and a party of police. A train going to Buxar was attacked and shots fired, causing several casualties. Some arrests were made in Bombay, but the situation generally remained quiet.

LUCKNOW, Wednesday.—Seventeen rioters were killed in an exchange of fire between an armed gang and a patrol in the United Provinces, it was officially announced to-night.—(Reuter.)

NEW DELHI, Wednesday.—Aiding, abetting or attempting to commit sabotage may be made punishable with death or whipping, under the Penalties (Enhancement) Third Amendment Ordinance, issued to-day. An Amendment of the Defence of India Rules, also published to-day, imposes penalties for sabotage of any property belonging to local authorities.—(Reuter.)

TANKS AT DIEPPE

LONDON, Wednesday. — The British tanks which stormed Dieppe were described to-day by the Commander of the German unit defending the beach as "extremely heavy affairs." In a German radio talk, he said:—"They were of the most modern type we have ever encountered—30-tonners, clad in thick steel plates, equipped with external exhaust pipes, and all kinds of gadgets for invasion purposes." The special invasion barges on which the tanks crossed the Channel were, the officer said, 800-ton grey-painted vessels. There were six to eight tanks on each barge.—(Reuter.)

LORD MAYOR MAY BE RE-ELECTED

BY A STAFF REPORTER.

AT a meeting of the Fine Gael members of the new Corporation yesterday it was decided to re-nominate Alderman Peadar Doyle, present holder of the Lord Mayoralty, for the election to that office, which is to be held on Saturday. The attitude of the party in case of their candidate not securing a clear majority at the first vote was also discussed, but no statement was made about what decisions had been arrived at. Those who are in touch with the party, however, think it unlikely that they will make any agreement with either Fianna Fail or Labour.

Shrewd judges of the political situation, national as well as municipal, think that the Fianna Fail members, after their own candidate has been defeated, as he seems likely to be, will support the Fine Gael nominee on the second vote. In support of this theory they point out that in the event of a general election, in which, as stated in the *Irish Times* yesterday, the possession of the Mansion House is a very valuable asset, Fianna Fail would think a Fine Gael occupant of the Mansion House politically less dangerous than a Labour occupant. They might, therefore, in Saturday's election support the Fine Gael candidate in order to keep Labour out.

PAPER AND PROFIT

Rita Sweeney, aged ten, collecting waste paper. See story in Page 3.

THE REPRIEVE APPEAL

TRADE UNIONISTS' CALL

The Dublin Trades Union Council have urged all trade unionists to exert their influence to secure the reprieve of the six men under sentence of death in Belfast. They urge the Government to intervene. Support for this comes from the Dun Laoghaire Labour Party.

The Mayor of Sligo (Alderman Tolan) has sent a cablegram to the Most Rev. Dr. Mannix, Archbishop of Melbourne, urgently begging him, as Freeman of the Borough, to intervene with the Australian Premier to secure the reprieve, and he has also sent a telegram to the Taoiseach begging his utmost intervention.

Following their recent resolution addressed to Belfast Harbour Commissioners, urging co-operation in the matter, Cork Harbour Board yesterday unanimously decided to send a further request to the Taoiseach. "Excellent feeling existed in the South between all creeds and classes," said the Lord Mayor (Alderman Allen), "and if these executions took place bit terness might be caused, not alone in Belfast, but elsewhere throughout the country."

An emergency executive meeting of the Football Association last night sent a telegram appeal for clemency to the Duke of Abercorn. Fifteen hundred more signatures—including 360 from Birmingham—were presented to the Northern Minister of Home Affairs yesterday in support of the appeal.

The hope that the sentence may be commuted is expressed in a resolution passed at a meeting of Dalkey and Killiney residents, held last night at the old Town Hall, Dalkey. A copy was sent to Mr. de Valera, Minister for External Affairs.

ABHOR 'BLACK MARKET'

RETAIL TRADERS' DEMANDS

Retail traders had been unfairly blamed for fostering the "Black Market," said Mr. A. C. McLoughlin, General Secretary, at the annual general meeting of the Irish Registered Egg Dealers' and Retail Traders' Protective Association, in Dublin, yesterday. "The words 'Black Market' have no connection with our policy or principle. We abhor them," he added, and said further that faulty goods distribution and lack of supplies were driving the retail provision merchants out of business. Retail traders, honest citizens as they were, must get a reasonable profit.

Mr. F. McGrath, Nenagh, said that the margin of profit on tea was too low. A trader was expected to weigh and wrap 32 half-ounces of tea for a profit of 8d. a lb.—and "there was not an assistant in the trade who could get 32 half-ounces out of a lb."

Advocating a strict system of licensing for existing retail shops, Mr. P. Powell (Galway) said that people without experience were getting into business, interfering with, and sometimes under-selling, traders of long standing. He also said that it was about time the Government prevented the kind of trade carried on by travelling shops.

Mr. M. Sheil (Galway) said that the trade should be consulted about any future price-fixing. They would guarantee co-operation with the Government.

It was decided to change the name of the organisation to the Irish Retail Traders' Protective Association. Mr. P. Farrell, Ballinalee, Longford, presided.

A deputation later visited the Department of Supplies to present their case for more equitable distribution and higher prices. Its members were: Messrs. P. Farrell (Chairman), A. C. McLoughlin (General Secretary), M. Carr, F. McGrath, W. A. Tynan, W. V. Bell and P. Powell.

A promise of consideration of the matters submitted was obtained from the Department which had called into the discussion officials of the Prices Commission.

General G. L. Carpenter, international leader of the Salvation Army, has arrived in the United States, accompanied by Mrs Carpenter.

SURVIVOR FROM DUKE'S WRECKED 'PLANE

FOUND WANDERING ON THE MOUNTAINSIDE

MORE than twenty-four hours after the Sunderland flying-boat carrying the Duke of Kent had crashed on a lonely hillside in the North of Scotland came the news last night that there was one survivor of the accident.

He is Flight-Sergeant Andrew Simpson Wilson Jack, aged about 24, of Grangemouth, Scotland, and was rear-gunner in the plane. He was thrown clear when the plane hit the hillside and was not seriously hurt, although he was burned on the face, arms and legs.

Stunned and semi-conscious, he wandered away from the scene of the crash before searchers arrived. For ten hours he staggered through the heather until crofters found him and took him to a village, where his wounds were tended. Yesterday afternoon he was taken to hospital suffering from bruises and burns on his face and back. It was then that it became known that there had been a survivor. Previously it had been officially stated that all the crew and passengers, said to number 15, perished.

Three farmers were the first to locate the crashed 'plane, which was ablaze on the desolate mountainside, 60 miles from the seaplane base where the ill-fated flight to Iceland had commenced. Some bodies were found in the wreckage badly burned, and others had been thrown clear and had died from their injuries. First news of the accident came from a farmer, David Morrison, and his son, Hugh, who were out searching for sheep. They heard the plane hovering overhead and then came the muffled sound of an explosion as it crashed into the mountainside. Hugh Morrison went on a motor-cycle for medical aid and to inform the police, and a search party was formed by farmers and military *personnel*. A doctor was taken to the scene, and, later, police and ambulances arrived.

It was some time before the bodies could be removed owing to the difficult nature of the place. Among the victims were Lieutenant John Lowther, R.N.V.R., the Duke's private secretary, who was grandson and heir to Viscount Ullswater, former Speaker of the House of Commons; the Hon. Michael Strutt, son of Lord Belper and brother of the Duchess of Norfolk, and Leading Aircraftman Hales, the Duke's valet. Mr. Lowther, who had been the Duke's secretary for seven years, travelled to Scotland by train on Tuesday with the Duke's party. Mr. Strutt, who was 28, was taking the place of Squadron Leader D. J. Ferguson, who was prevented by illness from accompanying the Duke to Iceland. The final decision to visit Iceland was made early this week, and the King's permission had to be obtained.

DUKE'S HEIR

It is not certain that the Duke's heir, Prince Edward, will become the Duke of Kent, for Royal Dukedoms are usually bestowed by the King on one person and do not descend. The Duke was expected to stay in Iceland for about ten days. The Lord Chamberlain announced yesterday that the Court will go into mourning for four weeks from yesterday until September 23. The Duke's body, which was at first laid with his dead comrades, will be brought to London.

DUKE'S FUNERAL

Although no definite arrangements have so far been made for the funeral, it is almost certain that it will take place in St. George's Chapel, Windsor Castle, with military honours. The Duchess of Kent yesterday morning left Coppins, Iver, the country home of the Duke and Duchess. A Memorial Service is expected to be arranged at the village church of Iver.

The Duke of Abercorn, Governor of Northern Ireland, in a telegram to the King, said: "His Royal Highness's visits to Northern Ireland have been a source of inspiration to us all, and have left happy memories behind." The Governor also sent telegrams of sympathy to the Duchess of Kent and to Queen Mary.

Mr. J. M. Andrews, Prime Minister of Northern Ireland, sent messages of sympathy to the King and to the Duchess of Kent and Queen Mary. Speaking in the Northern Parliament, Mr. Andrews said: "The Duke of Kent died in the service of his country. When the Duke walked through the bombed areas of Belfast, making personal contact with the people who had lost their dear ones and their homes, he struck a chord that will never cease to vibrate in their hearts."

Messages of sympathy have been received from all parts of the world, especially from the United States. President Roosevelt has sent messages of condolence to Queen Mary, the King and the Duchess of Kent, the White House announced yesterday.

PLENTY OF VENISON

BUT FEW SEEM TO WANT IT

Whatever Dublin people may do about the deer in the Phœnix Park, the one thing which they seem determined not to do is to eat them. So far the contractor who has undertaken the killing of some 600 of them, and who has invited offers for the deer, has only had 66 inquiries. Of these, about 60 were from people who wanted young deer to keep as pets, and the remainder were from people who were interested in venison—mostly in a vague way.

The venison inquiries included one from a well-known Dublin club, one from a hotel, and only one from a butcher. The remainder were from people who said they might take a small cut of venison, but these offers the contractor had to turn down, as he is only dealing in whole deer.

The average deer carcase is reckoned to weigh around 60lb., with the entrails taken out and the carcase cleaned. One of this weight could be secured for about £2.

The inquiries about young deer wanted as pets came from such places as Ballyshannon, Banbridge, Kells, Athy, Shillelagh, and Ennis, to name only a few. The contractor has not been able to give a definite answer to these inquiries, as he does not yet know the cost of catching, crating, and freighting the young deer to their destination.

A Dublin master butcher, when asked about the lack of demand for venison, said that the people were probably afraid of not being able to cook it properly. His own firm, a few years ago, had bought deer carcases from a Wicklow deer owner, and had found the meat very difficult to sell.

OVER SOUTH-EAST BRITAIN

A single high explosive was dropped in a south-east coast town of Britain last night, but caused no damage or casualties, says the Press Association. High explosives damaged houses and shops and slightly injured two people in an East Anglian coast town. Incendiaries at other points in the area caused no damage or casualties.

GENERAL ZHUKHOV'S BOLD STROKE

THE Russian counter-stroke north-west and west of Moscow recalls the perfect timing with which Stalin, as Commander-in-Chief of the Red Army, launched his winter offensive on December 8th to save the Soviet capital, writes a Press Association Military Correspondent.

When the Russians held their blow until danger had swept up to the very ramparts of Moscow. On this occasion General Zhukhov's armies were set in motion just a week after the Germans broke north-east from their Tsymlyanskaya bridgehead on the Lower Don and started the fierce Panzer drive through Kotelnikovo, which is to-day battering the Russian positions little more than 40 miles south-west of Stalingrad. It is too early to begin to forecast the effect of General Zhukhov's attack upon the crucial battles raging within a day's march of the Russian "Sheffield," on the great Volga waterway, but the figures given in the Moscow communiqué convey a clear idea of the weight of the attack stretched along a 70 miles front.

NAPOLEON'S ROAD

For nearly the past fortnight German official statements have reported strong Russian attacks in the Rzhev and Vyazma areas. Moscow's silence until last night has indicated that these operations have been on a considerably more substantial scale than the continuous probing activity conducted throughout the earlier part of the summer. Rzhev is 130 miles north-west of Moscow. Aghatsk is west of the capital nearly 100 miles along the highway to Smolensk. Vyazma is about 30 miles still further west along the road which Napoleon trod in his disastrous retreat of 1812. The three towns—all of them strongly defended "hedge-hogs" to which the Germans clung when the Russian winter offensive swirled to the west—form a formidable triangle of great strategic importance covering Smolensk pivot of the German front in Russia.

Ever since the Germans drove east to the Middle Don, filled the vast Don "elbow," and plunged over the river's lower reaches into the Northern Caucasus, Marshal von Bock has drawn considerable forces from further north to sustain his all-out effort to seize Russia's oil and to cut the Red Armies in two. Last week a military commentator on the German road warned the German armies engaged in stern "defensive" battles on the central front that they must expect no aid and must rely on their own military skill and tenacity. If the Russian counter-stroke forces Marshal Bock to release even some small part of his southern armies to save the threat to the German centre it will have yielded a good dividend, besides heartening Stalin's armies for renewed efforts all along the front.

PEASANT'S SON

General Gregory Zhukhov, son of a peasant, rose to be Chief of the Soviet General Staff; he was given command of the forces defending Moscow last year. General Koniev, a famous cavalryman, played a prominent part in the Moscow counter-offensive. He made a great name in the Mongolian border fighting in 1938, when Soviet troops defeated the Japanese at Changkufeng.—(Press Association.)

For two months Russian official reports and war correspondents have emphasised the Germans' numerical superiority and greater tank strength in the South. Simultaneously there has been good reason to believe that the already powerful Soviet forces gathered on the Central Front in the spring have steadily accumulated fresh reserves of strength, both in highly-trained man-power and machines. There has been no evidence that these forces have been drawn upon by the hard-pressed armies of the South, where Marshal Timoshenko is believed to have a big new winter-trained army upon which to call for the decisive battles of the Volga.

BIG OFFENSIVE?

Whether the Soviet triumph on the central front represents a diversion or the start of the big offensive, which all informed Russians have been expecting, will soon be made clear, adds Reuter's Military Correspondent. If it is the real offensive it will—following classical Russian strategy—begin slowly, and gradually gather tremendous weight. If it is a diversion—to relieve the immense German strain on Russia's southern forces—it is probable that a major offensive will be launched within the next two months. All Soviet comment still speaks of decisive action this year. One important point to remember in following this new and pregnant campaign—Soviet military policy is not to push the enemy back, but to "encircle and annihilate."—(Reuter.)

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Foursomes Holders Win Easily

By J. P. ROONEY.

IT was on the first 18 holes that J. B. Carr and Harry Bradshaw laid solidly the foundations of their 5 and 4 win over B. J. Murphy and Fred Daly in the 36-holes final of the amateur-professional foursomes at Hermitage yesterday. When the round finished they were five up, so that the challengers had no hope whatever of making a successful fight of it. But Murphy and his partner struggled along bravely until the amateur, whose first big tournament it was, cracked under the strain, and his badly pulled drives to the 12th and 14th quickly brought it to an end.

Up to the 12th on the second round the University College player held his own splendidly with powerful drives (he drove the 292 yards second in the evening) and beautiful putting, and Daly, as might have been expected from an Irish champion of a few years ago, did his share of the work right well. The holders, who won the cup in 1940 and last year, played glorious golf in the morning for a round of 69, against 75. Carr's wooden club play was powerful (his pitches with No. 8 were always near the flag), and Bradshaw's game all round was a rare treat for the gallery, particularly his approach putting (when he had an approach putt to play) and holing-out from two or three yards. Two strokes played by him will live in the memory of those who saw them—a dead stymie close to the 17th hole and his lofting of the high trees to the right of the 18th.

At the 17th Daly had failed his chip in, and in going for the hole Murphy laid Bradshaw the stymie. The niblick seemed the only possible solution, and the Kilcroney man took it out. He replaced it, and out came the putter and down went the ball. That left him and Carr 5 up—they were out in 32 and four up—but it looked odds on their losing the home hole when Carr, trying for distance from the bunker to the right, hit the face of it. With the most awkward of exaggerated stances and confronted with the big tree, Bradshaw swung his No. 6 at the ball, and it soared over the tree top down the fairway. The holders got a half, and left off leading by 5. On the holes out they had a 2, two 3's and six 4's. Homeward they had one 3, six 4's and two 5's—a wonderful round, and entirely devoid of fluke. The opposition on this round stood up to it in fine style, but what pair in the country could even hold their own against such figures.

The golf in the evening was not so good. For one thing, Bradshaw's short game was not as finished as in the morning, many of his putts being short, but it was a most attractive display which losers and winners gave, and the result was a fitting close to a most successful competition played on a delightful course.

Bright Tennis at Fitzwilliam

BRIGHT tennis was greatly relished by the big crowd at the Fitzwilliam Club, yesterday. Following the dismal atmosphere of Tuesday which affected both players and spectators alike, yesterday's sunshine infused new heart into the young players, striving enthusiastically for the championship awards, and greater resiliency into the balls.

When play began in the forenoon the courts looked their best, and, if becoming somewhat sticky at night, held out well to the end.

One could not help appraising the stamina of many of the players who figured in doubles and singles that came hot foot on top of each other. A promising little player in this respect is D. Williams.

J. Hackett, who is fancied for the Senior Championship, gave a brilliant display in beating A. Mongan in straight sets. Mongan, at the outset, as was the case last year, looked like pressing Hackett hard but the latter did not take long to dominate the situation. On the other hand, C. Davis, who was unable to gain his favourite position at the net against T. Fitzpatrick, succeeded in beating him in a hot three-set match. Gerry Rice gave a grand exhibition in the Junior Championship. After losing four games to Brian Lemass, he won twelve in a row. Hugh O'Donoghue, the Leinster junior champion, gave his supporters a fright by only scrambling through in a three-set match from Brian Matthews, a greatly improved player.

The imperturbable Maeve Brennan won her match easily. A very fine match was that in which Miss M. Hallinan ousted the West of Ireland junior champion, Miss M. Flattery. Another good match was that between Miss A. Blayney and Miss S. Ronaldson.

The Misses M. Meenan and M. Roche also gave finished displays in the junior championship, both winning easily.

The following were successful yesterday:—Boys' Senior Championship—Third Round—R. Williams, D. Sheehy, B. McElhinny, T. Fitzpatrick, A. Denvir. Fourth Round—J. Hackett, W. S. Jameson, R. Williams, B. McElhinny, C. Davis, T. Ryan, N. Brennan, N. Brown.

Junior—Third Round—G. Deehan. Fourth Round—G. Rice, F. Furrey, M. Walsh, M. Shortt, H. O'Donoghue, G. Lyons, H. Bamville, G. Deehan.

Girls' Senior Championship—Third Round—G. Joyce, M. Brennan, M. Steen, E. Hallinan, D. Furrey. Fourth Round—P. Connor (the holder), C. Egan, A. Blayney, P. O'Reilly, M. Brennan, E. Hallinan, D. Miley, M. Hallinan. Junior—Third Round—M. Meenan, M. Moran. Fourth Round—M. Meenan, D. McHale, Mary Roche, R. McArivey, M. Moran, J. Smith, M. Roche, J. McCann.

L.D.F. TOURNAMENT

The American tournament in aid of comforts for the men of the 43rd Rifle Battalion, L.D.F., which had to be abandoned, owing to the inclement weather, on August 8, will be resumed on Saturday, September 5, at Kenilworth square at 2.30 p.m.

Torrents of rain spoilt what had been hopefully planned as a great day's enjoyment. The Minister for Defence had hardly opened the tournament before the elements ended what had promised to be some very interesting tennis.

DRUMCONDRA WIN CUP REPLAY

Drumcondra qualified for the second round of the Leinster Senior Cup when, at Tolka Park last evening, they beat Bohemians, with whom they had drawn 2-2 on Saturday, by 3-1.

There was plenty of liveliness in the exchanges, but Bohemians' display must have been a big disappointment to their followers, for the team showed lamentable weakness in scoring power, many chances being lost. Drumcondra were outplayed in the earlier stages, but they fought back with determination and made the most of their opportunities.

McNamara was going clean through when he was taken down, and O'Rourke converted the penalty to give Drumcondra the lead after ten minutes. Cardiff, Drumcondra's 'keeper, was temporarily knocked out in a collision with Smith, but he resumed and saved well, particularly from Smith and Wright before the interval.

Bohemians should have equalised ten minutes after the interval when Martin handled, but Glennon sent wide from the penalty, and midway through Geoghegan put Drumcondra two up when he netted from a pass by Ward. Drumcondra went further ahead when O'Rourke converted a second penalty for a foul on Geoghegan after 37 minutes, and eight minutes from the end G. Wright got through for Bohemians' only goal.

L.D.F. COMPETITION

Draw for the Rathfarnham L.D.F. Step Together Week competition:—First Round—Sept. 5 — (A) Rathfarnham L.D.F. v. Rabintecly L.D.F., 3.0; (B) 11th Field Ambulance v. Dundrum L.D.F., 4.45. Sept. 7—(C) "F" Company 43rd Batt. v. "A" Company 43rd Batt., 7.0. Sept. 8—(D) "G" Company 43rd Batt. v. "B" Company 43rd Batt., 7.0. Sept. 9—Semi-final—(E) Winners A v. winners B, 7.0. Sept. 10—Semi-final—(F) Winners C v. winners D, 7.0. Sept. 12—Final, 3.30. All matches will be played at Vocational School grounds, Terenure.

NEWMARKET RESULTS

12.15—COVENEY NURSERY, £276. 5 f.—Belle Amour, gr. f. by Bellacose—Entreat (Capt. Dunne), 8-5 (G. Richards) (100/30), 1; Bowness, 8-6 (H. Wragg) (6/4 fav.), 2; La Chateaureux, 7-2 (J. Sime) (11/2), 3; Mahee, 4; Speckle f., On Duty, Allan Waters, Polly Play f., Emblaze, Queen of the Hills f., Pride of the Morn f., Mrs. Pumpkin f., Granddaughter f., Chump, Baby Blue, Persian Lady. (R. J. Colling.) 4l.; same. 62 2-5 secs.

12.45—WHEPSTEAD STAKES, £301. 1¼ m.—Canyonero, ch. c. by Colorado Kid—Puella (Mr. Bezner), 9-4 (T. Carey) (7/4), 1; Disillusioned, 8-5 (Bridgland) (50/1), 2; Eleanor Cross, 9-1 (Beary) (10/11), 3; Phase, 4. (Nightingall.) 1l.; 3l. 2 mins. 47 1-5 secs.

1.15—NUNTHORPE STAKES, £634. 5 f.—Linkslater, br. h. by Fleeting memory—Malgre (Mr. Saunders), 9-0 (E. Smith) (100/8), 1; The Pale, 9-0 (Herbert) (100/8), 2; Monmouth, 9-0 (Nevett) (33/1), 3; Pure Gold, 4; Equipoise, Mickey the Greek, Portobello, Antecedent, Hyland Brume, Lancewood, Honest Penny, Mah Iran (7/4 fav.), Chancery. (W. Smyth.) 1½l.; 2l. 60 2-5 secs.

1.45—MIDDLE PARK STAKES, £1,136. 6f.—Ribbon, b. f. by Fairway—Bongrace (Lord Rosebery), 8-11 (E. Smith) (9/2), 1; Nasrullah, 9-0 (D. Smith) (8/11), 2; Nearly, 8-11 (Taylor) (100/7), 3; Fortunate Lady c. 4; First Edition, Straight Deal, Victory Torch, Harroway. J. Jarvis. Neck; 3½l. 1 min 13 4-5 secs.

2.15—STANNINGFIELD HANDICAP, £317. 1m.—Pay Roll, br. f. by Hyperion—Book Debt (Lord Derby), 8-6 (H. Wragg) (10/1), 1; Senibal, 8-6 (O'Neill) (10/1), 2; Haze, 7-11 (D. Smith) (3/1), 3; Peradventure, 4; Lambeth Way, Sedate, Fair Ease, Camarilla, Quick Flight, Lady Olivia, Cheerful Anne (5/2, fav.), Bride of Abydos, Brave Empress, Gothic Chimes. Earl. 3½l.; ½l. 1 mins. 43 1-5 secs.

2.45—FLEMPTON T.Y.O. STAKES, £355. 6f.—Star of Ceylon, b. f. by Colombo—High Light (Miss Paget), 8-8 (Carey) (9/4), 1; Herald, 8-6 (Bridgland) (4/1), 2; Selene, 8-6 (E. Smith) (8/1), 3; Benvenuto Cellini c. (15/8 fav.), 4; Owston c., Fenton, Lady Emma, Lone Fleet, Wenzlaw, Nightingall. Short head; 1l. 1 min. 17 1-5 secs.

GOLF CLUB NOTICES

Island (Ladies) — Wednesday semi-Medal, bogey.

Rathfarnham — To-day — Fourball, bogey, 9 holes. Semi-open mixed foursomes postponed from August 30th to September 6th.

Curragh—Curragh Cup — C. Brophy, 43 3-8 points; Captain M. Downey, 42.

Railway and S.P. — At Terenure on Saturday — Morning, president's prize; afternoon, Scotch foursomes, sweepstakes.

Grange (Ladies) — September 1st—Mr. W. Stokes's prize, in classes. September 3rd—Medal, strokes. List for associate v. professional competition closes August 31st; final September 7th.

Co. Kildare (Ladies)—Eclectic—Miss E. Mitchell (18), 55, best gross, Mrs. Muldoon. Semi-open foursomes—Miss J. Gorey and Mrs. Price (15), 77. Club foursomes—Miss Meagher and Miss E. Mitchell (30), 82.

Sutton (Ladies)—Mrs. Lendrum Cup—Miss V. Quinn (22), v.; Mrs. O'Rourke (28), 75. Tuesday semi-Medal, strokes; draws 10.15, 2.45, 6.0.

Laytown—G.N.R. Cup—M. Fitzgerald (18), 68; Dr. A. Lappin (15), 70; best gross, P. Lynch, 77. Mixed foursome—M. and Mrs. Crotty (13), 70; M. McDonough and Miss Wall (12), 70; best gross, D. Somers and Miss M. Leckey, 82.

Greystones—Tyler Cup (first round to be completed on or before 31st August, one week for each succeeding round)—G. Beckett (6) v. J. H. D. Fidler (14); C. H. White (25) v. H. C. Duggan (10); T. J. Carroll (18) v. C. H. West (4); G. S. Gamble (16) v. G. R. Oulton (10); G. Huet (14) v. G. W. Fraser (15); A. Robinson (14) v. S. C. Symes (11); J. D. Parsons (4) v. J. Pollock (18); E. P. O'Neill (8) v. R. Dykes (14).

Galway—Match play foursomes final—V. O'Callaghan (13) and D. Walshe (16) beat M. Waldron (9) and A. Roche (11), 3 and 2. Fourball v. bogey—F. O'Neill (10) and P. O'Beirn (3), 6 up; D. Quinlan (6) and J. Murphy (7), 5 up; J. Allen (6) and G. Ryder (8), 5 up; J. O'Sullivan (11) and J. Kelly (15), 5 up.

Milltown.—Ladies—Challenge Cup—Mrs. Pyper v. Mrs. Curran; Mrs. T. Hickey v. Miss Brophy; Miss Black v. Mrs. Courtney; Mrs. Keary v. Mrs. Rose; Mrs. K. M. Burke v. 1st in tie; Mrs. McConnell v. Miss B. Walsh; Mrs. Hannin v. Miss N. Elliott; Miss Lombard v. 2nd in tie. Miss E. Keogh, Miss G. Keogh and Miss Lee tie for last two places. 1st round by 7th Sept. Tuesday—Medal.

Donabate.—Ladies—Captain's v. hon. sec.'s teams, match postponed.

Elm Park.—Ladies—To-day—Associate members' prize, Stableford; Usual draws.

SANDYCOVE GALA AT BLACKROCK

Last night Sandycove Club held their annual gala at Blackrock Baths. One of the features was an exhibition of diving by the Irish champion, Eddie Heron.

Juvenile 50 Metres Club Handicap—D. O'Neill 1, G. O'Donoghue 2, P. O'Sullivan 3. 45 secs.

Ladies' 50 Metres Open Handicap—Misses M. Magner (scr.) (Y. Leinster) 1, M. Brennan (9) (Republican S.C.) 2, A. Brady (9) (Pembroke) 3. 43 secs.

Ladies' Squadron Championship of Leinster—Pembroke (Misses I. Whitehead, H. Dagg, N. Wickham, B. Weekes) 1, Young Leinster 2, Dublin 3.

Men's Junior Squadron Championship of Leinster—North Dublin (J. Clare, S. Thomas, I. Hannigan, P. G. Condron) 1, Dublin 2, Half Moon 3. 13 mins. 49 secs.

James Cup final—L. Boyd (Sandycove) 1, A. Cullen (do.) 2, V. Doyle (do.) 3. 33 4-5 secs.

Men's Senior Squadron Championship of Leinster—Bray Cove (D. O'Brien, W. O'Brien, D. Corbett, P. Bishop) 1, Sandycove 2, Clontarf 3. 13 mins. 2 secs.

Ladies' 100 Yards Championship of Leinster—Misses H. Dagg (Pembroke) 1, I. Whitehead (do.) 2, M. O'Kelly (Dublin) 3. 1 min. 22 secs.

Water Polo—Leinster Junior Cup final—Bray Cove 3, Civil Service 0.

SHELBOURNE PARK GREYHOUNDS

360—Saige (2), evens, 1; Airbyrd (3), 6/1, 2; Athlone Mickey (1), 2/1, 3; Rollin' Home (6), 5/1, 4; Western Delight (5), 10/1, 5. 2l.; 1l. 21.02.

525 HURDLES—Maiden's Port (4), 5/4, 1; Dan's Share (6), 5/2, 2; Castle Policy (1), 5/1, 3; The Cleaner (3), 2/1, 4. Short head; 2l. 32.86.

525—Select Row (1), 4/5, 1; Hotel Guide (4), 5/1, 2; Pearly Row (6), 3/1, 3; Yankee Hobo (5), 5/1, 4; Heathery Heights (2), 6/1, 5; Wild Dignity (3), 10/1, 6. 6l.; 3l. 31.08.

525—Air Minister (5), 4/1, 1; Wood Spike (1), 10/1, 2; Egg Catcher (2), 5/2, 3; Carrig Twilight (4), 4/5, 4; Scanty Fare (6), 5/1, 5; 'Tis So (3), 10/1, 6. 6l.; 4l. 31.12.

360—Jovial Miller (6), 5/2, 1; Noble Turn (3), 6/1, 2; Ocean Greyhound (5), 9/4, 3; Mighty Hand (2), 6/1, 4; Maureen Mac (1), 3/1, 5. 6l.; 4l. 20.63.

525—Listennel Border (4), 8/1, 1; Bold Blackthorn (6), 6/4, 2; Still Rocking (3), 6/1, 3; Sentry Box (5), 4/1, 4; Pagan Galloper (1), 6/4, 5; Robert Foozle (2), 8/1, 6. Head; 4l. 30.45.

525—Ballymastone Lass (5), 8/1, 1; Black Child (1), 3/1, 2; Coolock Lady (2), 5/2, 3; Mill Park Darling (3), 4/5, 4; Hedge Quickly (6), 100/8, 5; Marcia's Delight (4), 10/1, 6. Neck; 4l. 30.80.

HAROLD'S CROSS CARD

525—Skellum, Mulberry Grove, Rockmount Boy, Ballycragh, Gougane Barra, Pal's Council, Waltz the Meadow, Good Match.

525—Woodmill, Little Nettle, Modest Hiker, Swedish Rumour, Solid Yen, Good Meadow, Reigning Valley, Lobengula.

525—Princess Mona, Lady Margaret, Cu Mara, Ennsweep, Jenkinstown Champion, Trodden Gold, Be Humorous, Klondyke.

525—Ballycolleen Heights, Clongorey Tim, Bothwell, Mighty Rally, Dutch Yank, Coolock Lady, Be Humorous.

525 (HURDLES, HANDICAP)—Crowded Hours (scr.), Handy Shot (2yds.), Inly (8yds.), Fiallach (11yds.).

550—Castleknock Pagan, Jolly Hankiller, Rank, Information, The Blanket, Brilliant Sportsman.

525—Dark Fell, Hidden Lodger, Emily Hailstone, Peter the Great, Pelle's Fancy, Nuala's Fancy, Camon, Genial Belle.

GREYHOUND SALE

Ballyvallivan Boy, an unraced puppy by Wireless Rally—Dundira, fetched top price of 200 guineas at the greyhound sale held by Mr. A. J. Sexton at Limerick yesterday. Mr. W. Ryan was the purchaser. Cross-Channel buyers were well represented, and a good many lots were not sold.

YACHTING

Last evening's Ballot race at Dun Laoghaire attracted 15 water wags, and was won by Marie Louise (Dr. H. J. Wright) by 1 min. from Pansy, with Alias, a further 40 secs. astern, third.

The D.B.S.C. crews' race for 21 footers was won by Geraldine (R. B. Cairnduff) by 14 secs. from Maureen, with Oola third.

WATER WAGS' ZIG-ZAG RACE

A member of the Royal Irish Yacht Club has presented three prizes for a race to be sailed over a zig-zag course in Dun Laoghaire Harbour this evening. The start will be from a line in front of the Royal Irish Yacht Club at 6.50.

G.A.A. FOOTBALL FINAL

The date of the All Ireland football final has been altered from September 27 to September 20, owing to the fact that a large-scale military and L.D.F. review has been fixed for September 27 in Dublin.

U.S. EXPERT SURPRISED

Brigadier-General G. M. Barnes, Assistant Chief of Ordnance, United States Army, who has been studying technical development in Britain, said yesterday:—"I had thought, perhaps, that the bombing of various centres would have reduced your capacity for production, but I was astonished at the great productive effort and the efficiency of your industrial organisation. I have been particularly struck by the large part which women are playing in industry. Neither Britain nor America admits any superiority in German equipment, and it is not true that the German 88-mm. gun was a surprise to us."

SOLOMONS BATTLE STILL RAGING

UNITED STATES NAVAL CIRCLES OPTIMISTIC

JAPAN'S big effort to regain control of the Solomon Islands' bases captured by the Americans was still in full swing yesterday. Little fresh news of the fierce sea and air battle now being fought off the islands is available. American radio commentators are adopting a confident, though cautious, tone.

Guadalcanal, where the Japanese attacked, is the large island immediately south of the important Tulagi base captured by the Americans recently.

The first Axis reference to the battle came from Berlin when the German News Agency confirmed a Washington announcement that a Japanese cruiser was burning fiercely. It was also claimed that an American heavy cruiser had been sunk. Continuous dive-bombing attacks by the Japanese was mentioned by the Agency, which said that the Japanese were rushing up air reinforcements.

GREAT STRATEGIC IMPORTANCE

Naval circles do not think that the main Allied and Japanese battle fleets are engaged, says Reuter's Naval Correspondent. It is more likely that the fight is between specific task forces. Meanwhile, Allied 'planes are continuing to attack Japanese shipping. General MacArthur's latest communiqué reports that Allied fighter-bombers bombed a small convoy of Japanese warships and transports south of the Tropriand Islands, which lie south-east of New Guinea. A gunboat was destroyed by direct hits, and two transports were heavily strafed. An Allied 'plane was lost in the operation.

Naval circles here, though making no public comment, are highly optimistic about the outcome of the battle, which, it is believed, will result in devastating losses to the Japanese, says a Reuter telegram from Washington. The fact that at least one Japanese battleship and two aircraft-carriers are taking part in the battle is held to indicate that the Japanese High Command are prepared to take serious risks with their battle fleet to attain their objective. The strategic importance of the engagement is great.

U.S. COMMUNIQUE

The United States communiqué yesterday states:—

"South Pacific—It is still too early to estimate the outcome of the battle at sea being fought off the Solomon Islands, but reports to date disclose that the United States forces at Guadalcanal are holding their positions in face of strong enemy thrusts, and in each action have inflicted heavy damage on the attacking Japanese forces.

"During the previously reported shelling of Guadacanal Island on the night of August 23-24 (Washington date) our dive bombers damaged an enemy destroyer. The enemy force of transports, cruisers and destroyers which approached Guadacanal from the North on August 24 (Washington date) was attacked by U.S. marine and naval aircraft based on Guadacanal. In addition to the cruiser previously reported burning fiercely, one destroyer and four additional ships were left burning, and a transport which was reported to have been hit during this attack was later seen abandoned as the enemy force withdrew. The performance of our fighter aircraft based on Guadacanal has been outstanding.

"As previously reported, a strong enemy air attack on Guadacanal during the afternoon of August 23 (Washington date) was intercepted by these fighters. Twenty-one enemy 'planes were shot down. Our loss was three 'planes.

"On August 25 (Washington date) Guadacanal was attacked by sixteen two-motored bombers, escorted by twelve Zero fighters. Our fighters met this force and shot down seven bombers and five Zero fighters. Our loss was one fighter.

"The results to date of the battle for the retention of our foothold on the South-Eastern Solomons are encouraging."

THE LOSSES

A Navy Department spokesman in Washington yesterday described the Japanese air losses as "staggering," and for the first time since this raging battle started the Navy Department let itself go in using the word "encouraging" to describe the situation. Wednesday's announcement of damage to two Japanese aircraft carriers, several cruisers—taken to mean three or more—as well as a battleship, a transport and another cruiser, and yesterday's additional claim of two destroyers and four other ships, brought the two days' total to fourteen ships. Thirty-nine Japanese 'planes have been destroyed for an admitted Allied total of four.

BRITAIN'S WAR PRODUCTION

HELP SENT TO U.S.

WHEN the United States were first threatened with air bombardment, 'planes and anti-aircraft guns and balloons for barrages were rushed across the Atlantic by Britain to reinforce America's air defences.

Mr. Oliver Lyttelton, Minister of Production, disclosed this fact last night in a broadcast to North America, in which he gave details of British production.

Submarine chasers were also despatched from British flotillas to help in the battle against U-boats off the American coasts and in the Caribbean, he added.

"Our pursuit 'planes, he said, are the fastest and most efficient fighting weapons in the world. Our 3.7-inch anti-aircraft, our 25-pounder field-guns, and our 6-pounder anti-tank guns have proved outstanding successes, and are at least equal to any weapon produced either by the enemy or by America.

"Our early tanks, made in quantities to meet invasion, had some defects, although they were serviceable weapons. These defects have now been remedied, and our latest types have at least no superior."

There was hardly ever a daily situation report that did not tell of some naval action, big or small.

A COMPARISON

"I am going to blow our trumpet, because I believe that the extent of our war production in the United Kingdom is not even now fully known in the United States."

Comparing efforts in the British Isles and America, Mr. Lyttelton said: "If we make allowances for the difference in the population, in the first quarter of this year we produced little less than two and a quarter times the volume of army munitions that you did, and about twice the weight of combat aircraft. In the second quarter, up to June 30, your output grew immensely, but in proportion to population we were producing about twice the weight of combat aircraft and one and a half times as much army munitions.

"I expect in the third quarter that the comparison will be less favourable to us, and that is a great source of satisfaction."

As an illustration of his contention that Britain was "bending all efforts" he said: "Out of every 100 occupied men and women about 55 are working for the Government, either in the forces or factories, or Government service. Almost all the rest are doing work necessary to the conduct of the war. To reach our present level you would need to have nearly 10,000,000 people working for the Government.

WOMEN WORKERS

"We have factories making guns—big guns—which are manned as to over 70 per cent. by women.

"We in Britain have been under constant air attack. We have had to disperse our industries, to black-out our factories, and to rebuild damage caused by bombs, while increasing the volume of our production. I have seen a factory working at 90 per cent. of capacity while part of it was still on fire.

"The United States, Britain and the British Commonwealth are working to a master blue-print, designed to supply the right weapons in the right quantity to the United Nations' forces in the field.

"Neither you nor we can afford to fall down on our share in that plan, and it is vitally important that we each fully understand the part the other is playing."

Lend-Lease, he added, was not entirely one-way traffic.

PRICE OF BICYCLE TYRES

At Clonmel yesterday District Justice Troy dismissed on the merits a summons against John P. Brady, trading as Brady and Co., O'Connell street, Clonmel, under the Emergency Powers Order, for, as alleged, offering for sale, or selling, bicycle tyres and tubes at a price in excess of the maximum set out in the Order.

At a previous hearing the point was raised whether tyres alleged to have been sold, or offered for sale, at 30/- each were of a like specification to those set out in a schedule to the Order, the maximum price for these being 11/-.

The District Justice held that the State had not proved that the specification of the tyres sold by Mr. Brady was similar to those set out in the schedule, and dismissed the case on the merits. He agreed to state a case. Ten other similar cases, in which Mr. Brady was the defendant, were adjourned until October.

Another case in which the defendant admitted selling a bicycle to a Garda at a price above the maximum of £10 for a standard machine with normal equipment, was dismissed under the Probation of Offenders Act. The defence was that the saddle and pedal were for a special customer, and could be charged for as extras.

St. Leger Jockey.—Afterthought, who finished second in the Champion Stakes, runs in the St. Leger and will be ridden by R. A. Jones.

Cricket Match Off.—Civil Service v. City of Derry, arranged for Sunday next, has been cancelled, as the Northern club is unable to travel.

Clontarf Cricket Club.—Away fixture for 2nd XI. required for next Saturday. Communicate with Mr. D. T. Smith, 32 Marlborough street. 'Phone 44647.

LENINGRAD TO-DAY

By Our Military Correspondent

ABOUT a week has elapsed since Leningrad had experienced a year of siege. This may seem a curious statement, because nobody has spoken of the siege of Leningrad. Yet Leningrad is as much besieged as was Sebastopol ninety years ago—in the sense that neither place was completely isolated, which is normally regarded as the primary requisite of a siege. Indeed, Leningrad has been relatively more cut off from the main centre of national resources than ever was the Crimean stronghold in 1854-5. It is, therefore, desirable to consider why Leningrad has been able to hold out—and also what effect its holding out may have on the general course of the war.

Leningrad held out primarily because it was defended with resolution and system. Over and above its numerous garrison, the civilian population was drawn on for passive defence— trench-digging, obstructions, field works, tank traps. In fact, one might say, the population was metamorphosed into a gigantic local defence force, to which all possible material facilities were accorded. Add to this the further consideration that Leningrad was already one of the main arsenals of Russia—a place with an enormous output-potential of war material, more particularly of the heavier kinds. Leningrad, in short, could put in line big guns and their shells, armoured trains and tanks, aircraft and small arms faster than the same materials could be brought to bear against the place. It had also the formidable man-power of a great city.

NEVER ISOLATED

Moreover, Leningrad was never quite isolated. To begin with, the city was never seriously threatened on the Finnish front—to the north-west and north. The Finns did not seem at any time capable of developing such an offensive threat as could really endanger the city, and may not be. Similarly—to eastward of the city—the German garrison in Schlusselburg did not seriously interfere with the provisioning of the place. Indeed, it seems likely that a Malmaison-type offensive—to go back a quarter of a century—would have blasted the Germans out of Schlusselburg at any time.

On this flank Lake Ladoga has been a veritable godsend to the Russians. We have heard about the railway laid across the ice north of Schlusselburg to enable the city to be supplied. But that was only through the winter half of the year. Before that—and since—the same supply system could be maintained by the long-established means of sea power. Lake Ladoga covers some 7,000 square miles—i.e., nearly a quarter of the size of Ireland—so that ship transport was always an important factor on its surface. It is only reasonable to assume that maritime transport across Ladoga is now far better established than was the case at the commencement of the Leningrad siege.

MORE PREPARED

In other respects, too, it is only natural to take it for granted that Leningrad is more war-prepared than was the case a year ago. Presumably, the vast majority of the non-essential civilian population has been got out of the place, somehow or other. Similarly, whatever technical additions were necessary will have been added to the garrison. For it is noteworthy that, this year, any warlike activities in the Leningrad sector have seen the Russians using the local initiative, rather than their adversaries.

In short, conditions would seem now less favourable than a year ago, as far as regards any likely comprehensive attack against Leningrad.

TIE FOR DROGHEDA COUNCILLORSHIP

MANDAMUS ORDER GRANTED

THE incident in which the tie for last place on Drogheda Corporation was resolved by drawing a name from a hat was told to Mr. Justice Black in the High Courts yesterday.

Mr. James McGrane and Mr. Denis Reddan, candidates at the election, received an equal number of votes for the last place. Their names were drawn out of a hat, and Mr. McGrane's was the lucky one. Later the returning officer wrote to Mr. McGrane saying that he had been wrong in drawing lots, and that Mr. Reddan was entitled to the seat, having received more original votes.

Yesterday Mr. McGrane, who lives at Peter street, Drogheda, was granted a conditional order of *mandamus*, directing the Drogheda Town Clerk and Returning Officer to accept his declaration of membership of the Council. This order permits Mr. McGrane to inspect the original certificate of return signed by the returning officer when the counting of the votes was completed, and forthwith to give public notice of his election as councillor.

DECIDED BY LOT

Mr. R. Brereton-Barry, K.C., who, with Mr. W. G. Fallon (instructed by Mr. John L. Kealy), appeared for Mr. McGrane, said he moved on the affidavit of the applicant, which stated that he was a duly nominated candidate at the municipal elections for the electoral division of Drogheda, held at Drogheda on August 19, 1942. Mr. McGrane was present at the counting of votes in the Technical School, Drogheda, under the control of Joseph Carr, Town Clerk and Returning Officer. On the conclusion of the last count at about 4 a.m. on the morning of Friday, August 21 last, it was stated by Mr. Carr that Mr. McGrane had received 314 votes, and that a similar number of votes had also been received by Mr. Denis Reddan, another candidate at the same election. Mr. Carr announced that he proposed to decide the tie by lot, and Messrs. McGrane and Reddan's names were written on slips of paper which were placed in a hat, and the slip bearing Mr. McGrane's name was drawn from the hat. There was no objection made by any person to the course adopted by Mr. Carr. On Mr. McGrane's name being drawn from the hat, Mr. Carr declared him elected, and inserted his name in the list of elected candidates in the official declaration of result of poll, which Mr. Carr signed.

On August 22 Mr. McGrane received a letter from Mr. Carr, in his capacity as Town Clerk, summoning him to attend a meeting of the Drogheda Corporation on August 24, at 11.30 a.m., in order to make his declaration of acceptance of office which must be made within five days after the date of election. On August 23 Mr. McGrane received a letter from Mr. Carr stating: "I regret very much that I notified you in my letter of the 21st inst that you had been elected as a member of the Corporation of Drogheda. I was wrong in drawing lots between you and Mr. Denis Reddan. Mr. Reddan is the person entitled to be elected, pursuant to the Local Elections Order, 1942, as he received more original votes than you. I sincerely regret error and any inconvenience that may have been caused you."

On Monday, August 24, accompanied by Alderman Laurence J. Walsh, Mayor of Drogheda, and his solicitor, Mr. McGrane attended at Mr. Carr's office for the purpose of making the declaration of acceptance of office. Mr. Carr absolutely refused to take such declaration, and refused to assign any reason for such refusal. Mr. Carr also refused to produce the original of the return of persons elected signed by him at the completion of the counting. When pressed for the reason for his refusal, Mr. Carr stated: "Go ahead with law if you like: I'll show you nothing, and I'll discuss nothing with you."

In his affidavit Mr McGrane went on to say that the statutory meeting of the Drogheda Corporation for election of Mayor and other important business was due to take place on Saturday next, August 29. It was essential that he should take his seat at the meeting.

An affidavit by Alderman Lake Walsh, Mayor of Drogheda, corroborated Mr. McGrane.

TOTAL VOTES COUNT

Mr. Brereton Barry, referring to the Local Elections Order, 1942, said that Section II, sub-rule 1 stated that if any question shall arise in relation to the exclusion of a candidate or to any transfer of votes the decision of the returning officer, whether expressed or implied by his actions, shall be final, unless an objection in writing stating the grounds thereof was made to the returning officer by any candidate or his agent before the declaration of the poll, and in that event the decision of the returning officer may be reversed upon an election petition.

The order also stated that if, when a candidate had to be excluded, two or more candidates had each the same number of votes and were lowest, regard shall be had to the number of original votes credited to each of these candidates, and the candidates with the smallest number of original votes shall be excluded, and where the numbers of the original votes were equal regard shall be had to the total numbers of votes credited to those candidates at the first count at which they had an unequal number of votes, and the candidate with the lowest number of votes at that count shall be excluded, and where the numbers of votes credited by those candidates were equal at all counts, the returning officer shall determine by lot which shall be excluded.

Mr. Justice Black said that if that were done Mr McGrane would have been excluded, and, therefore, Mr. McGrane was not properly elected.

Mr. Brereton Barry said that he agreed that Mr McGrane was not properly elected, but the decision of the returning officer was final. It was clear that the declaration of the result signed by the returning officer contained the name of Mr. McGrane, and if there was objection the only way to proceed was by way of election petition.

BELFAST M.P.'S APOLOGY

STATEMENT IN STORMONT

Mr. J. Beattie, Labour M.P. for Pottinger, Belfast, apologised in the Northern Ireland House of Commons yesterday to Mrs. D. Parker, Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Education, for a statement he made regarding her in a debate on July 30.

Mrs. Parker said that Mr. Beattie had said, according to Hansard: "She can go to the club and get drunk. . . . I'll expose her in the House to the extent of my knowledge. I know her too well."

The Speaker said it was perfectly clear that these were disorderly statements and should not have been made, and, further, there was no justification whatever for them. He asked Mr. Beattie to withdraw them.

Mr. Beattie said his feelings were hurt as much as Mrs. Parker's when he read the report in Hansard. He meant to say, in a jesting way, that Mrs. Parker had got politically intoxicated, and he had never meant to injure her in any way. He asked her to accept his unreserved withdrawal of the statements.

The Speaker and Mrs. Parker accepted Mr. Beattie's apology.

BANK HELPS HARVEST

At eight o'clock on Saturday morning next a number of Dublin bank officials will meet in a field of oats near Santry to begin their voluntary task of gathering the harvest. They will work until ten o'clock, and in the afternoon sixteen more will arrive to carry on the work.

This is the development of a scheme exclusively reported in the *Irish Times* last April, whereby members of the staffs of the College Green office and the Dublin city and suburban branches of the National Bank took over sixty acres of land at Furry Park for the purpose of growing wheat and oats. To finance the scheme, members of the staff who could afford to do so give cash contributions, and others have entered into commitments on the basis of their monthly salaries. A contract was given for the ploughing, reaping and harvesting; but, owing to a shortage of unskilled labourers, members of the staff have volunteered to assist in the gathering of the grain.

"I am just completing the final arrangements for the harvesting," said Mr. W. A. Collins, joint manager of the bank's College Green head office, yesterday. "We are promised a very good harvest. The wheat will not be quite ready for another fortnight, but we are beginning with our oats crop next Saturday."

LIMIT OF INCREMENTS

Present rates of annual or other increases in the salaries or wages of employés, whether governed by contract or by established practice, may not be increased. An Order to this effect, made by the Government yesterday, lays down that the practice or contract governing the increase rate must have been in existence on April 8, 1942.

DUBLIN RELIEF CASES

AN OFFICIAL SUSPENDED

The Commissioners for the Dublin Board of Assistance suspended one relief investigation officer, severely censured another, and reprimanded six others, as a result of the first reports on the investigation of able-bodied relief submitted by the assistant superintendents.

The reports stated that there had been 3,795 cases on the books, and the assistant superintendents had, in the course of their investigations, visited 523 cases between May and July. The reports revealed that in a number of instances persons had been, for varying periods, from two weeks to eighteen months, in receipt of assistance irregularly—that is, they had had sources of means they had not revealed, and which were unknown through absence of supervision and the failure of the investigation officer to make competent inquiry.

Such sources were (a) members of the family working either at the beginning of, or since, admission to relief; (b) recipient working; (c) Army allowance; (d) claim for children not residing with recipient; (e) contributions from relatives living with recipient. Sixty-one cases had been discharged, of which five were reduced on account of improved means, four were transferred to ordinary relief, and eight were re-admitted subsequently in consequence of reduced means.

During their examination of the reports the Commissioners found that the index cards, which should record the grants of assistance, were most unreliable and in some cases not written up since 1940.

POST OFFICE SAVINGS

Cases to which special examination was given included that of a recipient who was single, and who had £54 in Post Office Savings when admitted to home assistance on December 23, 1940, which was not revealed by the applicant or ascertained by the investigation officer. She was on relief continuously till the discovery of her means by the assistant superintendent. She had then £40 still remaining. Up to that date she had received £30 7/6 in home assistance. This amount has been recovered by the Board of Assistance. Another recipient was on relief for years from an address in the area of the officer concerned. Since July, 1941, she had not resided at that address, but was paid relief as being resident there. In her application in April last she gave her old address, and stated that she was paying a weekly rent of 7/6. In fact, at that time, and for eight months previously, she had been residing in another area, and was rent free as caretaker. It was obvious—and admitted by the officer—that he had not visited the case for at least twelve months; his only explanation was that he trusted her.

During last week 9,750 cases were relieved for a total expenditure of £4,080 5/-. This shows an increase of 30 cases, and increased expenditure of £22 16/6 on the previous week. Compared with the corresponding week in 1941, it shows an increase of 103 cases, and increased expenditure of £65 9/6.

"IN COMMON DEFENCE"

RIO DE JANEIRO, Wednesday—Men of all ages are queueing outside hurriedly-opened recruiting stations throughout Brazil to volunteer for the armed forces. President Vargas has signed a decree creating a national civil defence service.

The Uruguayan Government announced to-day that Uruguay and Brazil would co-operate in common defence against possible aggression.—(A.P.)

ALIMONY FIXED

Pending the hearing of a petition by Mrs. Mary Lynch, Riddlestown, Rathkeale, Co. Limerick, for a divorce a mensa et thoro from her husband, Thomas Lynch, shopkeeper and farmer, The Square, Newcastle West, Co. Limerick, on the grounds of cruelty, Alimony at the rate of £50 a year in favour of the petitioner was fixed by Mr. Justice Black, sitting as vacation judge, in the High Court, Dublin, yesterday. The parties were married in February, 1937.

AXIS TRANSPORT BOMBED

ACTIVITY IN EGYPT

A successful attack on enemy transport on the coast road between Matruh and Sidi Barrani was carried out by long-range fighters of the Royal Air Force on Tuesday, states R.A.F. Middle East News Service.

Hundreds of casualties were inflicted on enemy troops, and a number of vehicles of all kinds were destroyed.

Taking part in the raids were two Belgian pilots, one of whom holds the Croix de Guerre. One of these pilots said that very little transport was to be seen during the first part of the raid, but later they came across a number of large covered lorries. They were laden with troops in full kit and packs, and wearing German helmets. "We swept down on them and caused many casualties," he said. Other long-range fighters destroyed between them some twenty vehicles. One pilot described how shells and bullets took toll of the men in the lorries. Further lorries, tents and other targets were also attacked from ground level. One pilot said that he fired into a large trailer which was, with several other vehicles, on the ground.

"Diving on to an enemy landing ground near Sidi Barrani in bright moonlight on Tuesday, a South African Air Force squadron scored direct hits on a Ju 52 and a Caproni. A Ju 52 and another Caproni were machine-gunned with good effect. The leader of the attack, Lieut.-Col. Brockenhagen, deliberately flew into the 'phone wires at the side of the landing ground and broke the communications. The raid took the enemy completely by surprise, and all our 'planes returned safely."—(Reuter.)

LONDON, Wednesday.—To-day's British Middle East joint war communiqué stated:—"Our patrol activity continued during Monday-Tuesday night. Enemy patrol and working parties were engaged and harassed in the central sector. Yesterday there was nothing to report from our land forces. Our light bombers, fighters and fighter-bombers were active over the forward area. Direct hits were scored on enemy transport. Our long-range fighters attacked enemy eastbound transport vehicles on the Sollum-Matruh road and inflicted casualties.—(Press Association.)

STORE CATTLE SALES

Craigie Bros.—Heavier supplies; good attendance of Northern and home buyers. Some choice lots realised last week's rates, but trade on the whole was easier. Best bullocks from £32 5s. to £24, others from £23 10s. to £18 10s. Best heifers from £24 10s. to £19. Young stock from £19 to £8. Incalf heifers from £28 10s. to £20.

Ganly & Sons.—Numbers again large and keen demand for all good lots of forward conditioned A.A. Cross, Hereford and Shorthorn bullocks. Best bullocks £34 2s. 6d. to £26 (52s. to 63s. per cwt.). Best heifers £24 15s. to £20 (52s. to 55s.). Many other lots of bullocks and heifers £25 to £14 (54s. to 49s.). Younger classes £14 to £8. Springers £30 to £20.

Gavin Low, Ltd.—Slightly larger numbers on offer, with the three breeds, Shorthorn, Angus and Herefords, well represented. Good attendance of buyers, and last week's improved trade well maintained. Prices of best lots ranged from 60s. to 57s. per cwt. Others 56s. to 48s. Twenty springers made £30, £26 15s. and £23 10s.

LONDON CLOSING PRICES

* Ex Dividend † Ex Rights ‡ Ex Bonus

BRITISH FUNDS.

Consols 2½% ..	82 11/16	83 1/16	+1/16	3½% Conversion	107 5/16	107 9/16*	+1/8
Do 4% ..	112 5/16	112 9/16	+1/16	3% Convers.	104 3/4	105 1/4	
3½% War Loan	106 1/8	106 1/4	+1/16	2½% Loan	90	92	
3% War Loan	102 5/16	102 11/16		L.P.B. 4½% Ld.	115	117	
Funding Loan	115 3/4	116	+1/8	India 3½%	101	101 1/4	
Victory Bonds	113 3/4	114 1/4*		Local Loans	96 15/16	97 3/16	
2% Conversion	101 3/4	102		Nat. Def. 3%	100 1/2	101	

BONDS—RAILS—BANKS.

Brazil 20-Yr. A	78½	−½	5th Def. Ord.	16½	B.A. & Western	7½	
Do 40-Yr. B	68½	−½	Do 5% Pref.	105½	Do 4% Deb.	48	
Gt. Western	45½		Arg. Gt W 5% Deb	46 21/32	Canadian Pac.	11½	+½
L.M.S. Ord.	20¼		B.A. Mid 4% Deb.	56	C. Arg. 4% Deb	39	
Do 4% Pref.	69½		B.A. Gt. Sth.	8½	Do. 5% Deb 1967-87	38	
Do. 5% Rd Pf	99½		Do 4% Deb.	57	Bank of Eng	375½	
Do 4% Pf '23	58½		B.A. & Pac 4% Deb.	69	Barclay A	53/6	
L.N.E. Pf Ord	3⅞	−⅛	Do. Con 4½% Deb	45	Lloyds	53/6	
Do Def.	2				Midland	9 5/16	
Do. 1st Pref.	82				Westminster	86/0	
Do 2nd Pref	22¼				Do £4, £1 pd	81/0	
5th Pref Ord	66¾						

INDUSTRIALS.

Austin (5/-)	16/0		Courtaulds	38/0	+0/1½	London Brick	48/9	
Assoc. Cement	49/4½		Carreras B.	14/0		Morris	33/3	+0/1½
Babcock & W.	44/9	+0/3	Dorman L.	19/6		Murex	96/3	
Baldwins	5/10½		Dunlop	28/0		Marks & S.	36/6	
Brown (J.)	28/6		Distillers	79/6		P. & O. Def.	28/9	
B.S.A.	21/6		Elec. & Mus.	17/0		Rolls Royce	93/9	+1/3
Bleachers	6/4½	−0/3	English Cotton	29/4½	−0/7½	S.A. Breweries	112/6	
Brad. Dyers	10/6	−0/6	Ever Ready	32/6		Stewart & L.	47/6	+0/1½
Brit. Celanese	11/7½		Ford	28/0		Sudan Plants.	26/0	
B.A. Tobacco	90/0	−0/7½	Fine Spinners	12/3		Thomas (R.)	6/9	
Beechams	37/6	+0/6	Gallaher	5 13/16		Tob. Secs. T.	56/3	
Do. Defd.	12/6		Guinness	98/3		Tate & Lyle	62/0	
Boots Drug	35/7½		Gen Electric	80/6		Triplex	34/3	
Braz Trac	17½	+½	Harrods	26/6*		Tube Invest.	85/6	+0/6
Brit. Alum.	44/4½		Hudson's Bay	29/0		Turner & N.	68/9	
Brit. Plstr. Bd	26/0	+0/1½	Hawker Sid.	18/6		United Steel.	23/4½	−0/1½
Br. P. Cement	90/0		Harland & W	15/3		United South.	75/0	
Bass	157/6		Imp Tobacco	6 15/32	−1/32	Utd Molasses	28/3	
Brit. Insulated	96/0		Imp. Chemicals	38/0		Vickers	17/0	
Coast Lines	13/6		Int. Nickel	38⅞	−⅛	Wall Paper Df.	27/3	−0/3
Cab & W. Ord	61		Leyland	66/10½		White Tomkins	41/3	
Calico Print	8/9	−0/3	Lever	29/0	+0/3	Watney Def	66/9	−0/3
Coats	37/1½	+0/1½	Lever N.V.	22/6		Woolworth	54/7	

MINES.

Ashanti	40/0		Libanon	7/7½	
Bibiani	16/7½	−0/1½	Luipnards	14/6	
Blyvoor	27/9		Marievale	20/6	
Brakpan	23/9		Rhod. Ang. A	14/3	+0/3
Chartered	21/9		Rhodesian Sel	10/0	
Cons Afr. Sel.	14/9		Rhokana	7	
Cons. G.F.	1 21/32		Rio Tinto	8	
Crown	8¼		Selec. Trust	14/3	
Daggafontein	1 11/16		Simmer & J.	10/9	
De Beers	8 5/16		S.A. Land	3 11/16	
Durban Deep	2⅞		Venterspost	26/3	
East Geduld	8¾		Victoria Falls	3 11/16	
E. Rand Prop.	1¼		Vogels'buit	22/6	
Geduld	6¼		West. Holding	11/0	
Govt. Areas	32/6		West. Reefs	35/0	
J'burg Cons.	36/3		West. Springs	27/6	
Anglo-Transvaal	7/6		West Wit	4 11/32	

OILS—RUBBERS.

Anglo-Iranian	44 4½	
Attock	36/3	
Burmah	35/0	
Can. Eagle	9/7½	−0/1½
Mex. Eagle	10/6	−0/1½
Shell	48/9	
Trin. Lease	68/9	−1/3
Do. Pet. Dev	65/0	
Anglo-Dutch	8/3	
Anglo-Malay	3/9	
Highlands	11/3	
Kuala Lumpur	8/9	
Malacca	6/3	
Malayalam	25/0	
Rubber Trust	13/6	
U. Sua Betong	15/0	
Utd. Serdang	1/0	

DUBLIN EXCHANGE

Small markets were again the rule on the Dublin Stock Exchange yesterday, but, as usual, interest was mostly confined to Irish securities. Quiet support remained in evidence for certain specialities, and the undertone was steady to harder.

Home Government Funds held up well in a small way, and 4¼ per cent. Land Bonds rose to 116¼. British Funds showed little life, but advised firm. Hibernian Banks recovered a shade to 39/9.

Cairnes Ord., on strong buying, jumped 1/6 to 18/-, and Guinness Ord. repeated 98/6.

Rails were a shade busier, but there was little change in prices. Great Northern Deb. firmed up to 76.

Independent "B" Ord. lost the previous day's advance of 1/-, and Sunbeam Wolsey Pref. slipped back to 32/- x.d.; but Williams and Woods Ord. made headway to 25/-.

British Industrials made a quiet showing. B.A.T. Ord., Dunlop Rubbers, and Woolworth Ord. all held steady. Coats Ord hardened to 36/10½, and Imperial Chemical Ord. quoted 33/3.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

(*) Odd lot. (a) Asked. (b) Bid. (Previous prices in parentheses.)

GOVERNMENT FUNDS — 5 p.c. Second National Loan (116¾) 116¾; do. (under £200) 116⅝; 3½ p.c. Fourth Loan (105⅞) 105⅞; 4 p.c. Conversion Loan (110¼) *110¼; do. (under £200) (110) 110⅛; 4¼ p.c. Land Bonds (116⅝) 116⅝; do. (under £200) (116 7/16) 116 5/16; 3½ p.c. War Loan (under £200) (105⅞) 106.

CORPORATION STOCKS — Dublin 3½ p.c. 1955/'80 (103½) 103½.

BANKS—Bank of Ireland (325) *326; Hibernian (39/6) *39/6 9/9; National (39/9) 39/9 9/9.

BREWERIES—Cairnes Ord. (16/6) *18/-; Guinness Ord. (98/6) 98/6.

SHIPPING — Cunard Steam Ord *17/3.

TELEGRAPHS—Cable and Wireless 61⅝.

RAILS, ETC.—Great Northern Ord. (23½) 23½; do. Pref. (43) 43; do. Deb. (75½) 76; Great Southern Deb. (64) 64 4.

IRISH INDUSTRIALS—Carroll Pref (26/-) 26/-; Ever Ready (Ireland) Ord. (8/-) 7/6b 8/-a; Independent "B" Ord. (50/-) 49/-; Merchants' Warehousing Ord. (44/-) *44/-; Sunbeam Wolsey Pref (32/4½) *32/-; Williams and Woods Ord. (24/6) 25/-.

BRITISH INDUSTRIALS — B.A.T. Ord. (79/9) 79/9; Coats (J. and P.) Ord. (36/9) — 36/10½; Dunlop Rubbers (27/7½) *27/7½; Denny Pref. (11) *10¼; Imperial Chemical Ord. (32/10½) 33/3; Mexican Eagle Oil 10/3; Woolworth Ord (55/-) 55/-.

IRISH BANKS' RATE (changed October 26, 1939) 3 p.c.; Loans on Government Stocks transferred, 3½ p.c.; Deposits, 1 p.c. The foregoing rates are subject to variation.

WALL STREET

NEW YORK Wednesday.—The market retreated during the morning, although the declines of the leaders were trivial. Up to midday certain key issues had displayed resistance, but later there was a general decline, with some acceleration in volume. There were a few instances of losses of 2 points or more.

The market closed easy. Turnover of 358,000 shares comprised 687 issues, of which 76 advanced, 444 declined, and 167 were unchanged.—(Reuter.)

OTHER EXCHANGES

MANCHESTER.—Bleachers, 6/6 to 6/9; Dyers, 10/6 to 10/9; "Stubbers," 4/3 to 4/9; Calicos, 8/6 to 8/9; Coats, 36/9 to 37/3; Courtaulds, 37/9 to 38/3; Dunlops, 27/9 to 28/3; Cottons, 29/6 to 30/-; Velvets, 4/6 to 5/-; Spinners, 12/- to 12/3; Henrys, 12/- to 2/6; Turner and Newall, 68/6 to 69/6; Wall Paper Def., 27/- to 28/-.

BIRMINGHAM.—Raleighs improved to 62/3, and Standards to 18/6. Modern Tools better at 53/3. Alvis, 3/10½; Austin "A," 16/3. Dennis, 20/6; Dunlop, 28/1½; Enfield, 18/10½; Ford, 28/-; Guy, 2/3; Humber, 13/1½; Leyland, 67/-; Lucas, 66/3; Morris, 33/-; Napier, 6/6; Rolls, 91/3; Rover, 19/3; Singer, 4/6; Triplex, 33/10½; Deritend Stamping, 18/9; Serck Radiators, 75/9; Tube Investment, 85/6.

COMPANY NEWS

Anglo-Ceylon and General Estates.—Revenue, £712,373. Final 4½ per cent., making 7 per cent. (against 8 per cent.).

Associated Tea Estates of Ceylon.—Revenue, £39,705 (against £36,139). Dividend on Ord. 3½ per cent. (against 3 per cent.).

Dekhari Tea.—Net profit, £45,140 (against £26,525). Final 16 per cent., making 15 per cent. (against 10 per cent.).

General Accident Assurance.—Interim on £1 Ord. of 20 per cent. At the last annual meeting the £1 Ord. shares (5/- paid) were made £1 Ord. shares (10/- paid) by a capital bonus of 5/- per share. The distribution of 20 per cent. therefore, compares with 30 per cent.

Havana Terminal 5 p.c. Debs.—Two and a half years of interest is being paid by the Havana Terminal Railroad Company on its 5 p.c. Mortgage Debentures and Debenture stock. The payment, which is to be made on October 1 next, will cover the period from July 1, 1934, to January 1, 1937, inclusive, together with interest thereon at the rate of 5 p.c. per annum.

Hood, Wrightson.—Revenue, £184,679 (against £183,193). Final on Ord. 3½ per cent., making 6 per cent. (same).

Sungei Purun (F.M.S.) Rubber.—Revenue £13,089 (against £11,986). Dividend nil (against 10 per cent.).

LONDON MONEY MARKET

Despite a certain amount of calling, the market found the supply of credit adequate for its requirements.

EGYPT CONFIDENT

CAIRO, Wednesday. — Sir Miles Lampson, British Ambassador to Egypt, broadcasting to-day, on the sixth anniversary of the signing of the Anglo-Egyptian Treaty, said that, thanks to the treaty, Egypt was "one of the countries of the world that can face the future with confidence."

He praised Mr. Churchill's "dynamic leadership and indomitable spirit, which has so inspired and invigorated us and our Allies through three years of sweat and blood." The treaty, conceived in a spirit of liberty and mutual consents, "has as its purpose the mutual benefit of Egypt and Britain. But to-day, in my opinion," he said, "it represents something even greater. It has stood supreme tests. War, with all its shocks, has been unable to shake the truth on which this treaty was founded. It is an example of the spirit which will guide the democracies in the rebuilding of the world after the war has been won."—(Reuter.)

GUINNESS No. 1 CLERKSHIPS. Pupils of ROSSE COLLEGE, 65 Stephen's Green gained 17 of the 20 appts. offered at last 4 exams. —(Advt.)

LONDON NOTES

By Our Special Correspondent.

Some indication of the part Rolls Royce, Ltd., is playing in the war effort is to be obtained from the annual report just issued. The directors say that by reason largely of heavy taxation and the reduced rates of profit on the company's work, referred to last year, the available profit bears no relation to the greatly increased scope of the company's activities.

This statement is fully borne out by the figures in the accounts. Profits totalled, after providing for E.P.T., £514,472 (against £499,302), and the dividend is 20 p.c. for the third year in succession. The most significant figure in the balance sheet is that for trade and other debtors, which has risen from £1,972,537 in 1940 to £4,999,083. Stocks of raw material have also risen, the comparative figures being £1,165,467 for 1940 and £1,499,052 for 1941.

Two important Coal and Iron companies operating works and collieries in the Chesterfield district have issued profit and dividend announcements. They are the Staveley Coal and Iron Company and the Sheepbridge Coal and Iron Company. In both cases profits show a decrease of about £22,000, following on much larger decrease last year, due mainly to the heavy increase in the taxation liability.

Both companies pay their dividends tax free, and in the past three years the dividend has fallen as the tax has increased. Staveley paid 10 p.c. for 1939, and this was reduced to 8 p.c. for 1940, then to 6¼ p.c., at which it is maintained this year, with the announcement now of a final of 4 p.c. Net profits were £271,434 (against £294,429).

The Sheepbridge Company has an issued capital of £1,472,374. This year the interim payment was reduced from 4 p.c. to 3 p.c., and the final is maintained at 5 p.c., thus making 8 p.c. for the year—a reduction of 1 p.c. Net profits were £155,929, against £177,236.

Staveley are quoted at 43s., at which they offer a yield of £3 0s. 6d., tax free, or £6 1s. 0d. p.c. gross, while Sheepbridge are quoted at 40s., at which they offer a yield of £4 p.c., tax free, or £8 p.c. gross.

Like many other Rubber Companies, the Sungei Buaya (Sumatra) Rubber Co. has suffered severely from the Japanese invasion. Its accounts for the year to September 30, 1941, show that profits were well maintained at £16,840. Since the accounts were prepared, however, the invasion has taken place, and, as the directors state, no information is yet available as to the damage the properties have suffered, or the result of the "scorched earth" policy. It has been necessary, therefore, to make the substantial provision for loss of Eastern current assets, due to the invasion, of £27,338. This requires an inroad into the carry forward, which is reduced to £2,055, against £12,553 brought in.

The company has Debentures amounting to £99,650. Interest on these has been paid up to June 30 last, but the Chairman says that he has no expectation that the company will be able to make a further payment, and an arrangement with the Debenture holders will be sought.

The balance sheet shows assets in the United Kingdom totalling £17,056, against which there are liabilities (including a taxation reserve of £12,703) totalling £23,414.

YESTERDAY'S FEATURES

Price movements were few and generally adverse to holders on the London Stock Exchange yesterday. Gilt-edged stocks showed further gains of 1/16, while a couple were outstanding with rises of ⅛. In Foreign bonds, Brazilians turned dull again, some issues losing ½. There was little change in Rails.

Further losses occurred in the Tobacco group, where "Bats" and Imperials each dropped 7½d. Small losses were fairly general among Textiles. Courtaulds were not much affected by the announcement of the formation of the new plastics company, but the shares finished better at 38/-. Babcock and Wilcox continued to attract most of the attention in the "heavy" group, and closed with another gain of 3d. at 44/9. The announcement of 4 p.c. tax free final by Staveley lifted the shares 6d. Elsewhere, Brazilian Traction rose ⅛ to 17½. Plaster Boards put on 1½d. at 26/-. Levers were 3d. better at 29/-, and Tube Investment 6d. to the good at 85/6, but International Nickels were weaker at 38⅞.

There was hardly any business doing in the Mining market, and Oils were dull.

FOOD MARKETS

CATTLE.

DUBLIN METROPOLITAN MARKET.—Numbers on sale this week as compared with last week—Beasts 2,848 (increase 430), sheep and lambs 6,798 (increase 478). Sales opened with a sharp demand for prime bullocks at firm to dearer rates. In dealing with heifers sellers found it difficult to repeat previous values, and for these market closed weak. Prime bullocks 57/- to 59/-, extra 60/- to 61/-, secondary 54/- to 56/-, rougher around 53/-; best heifers 55/- to 57/-, others 52/- to 54/-; nice beef cows 48/- to 52/-, seconds 41/- to 46/-, others 34/- to 39/-, and bulls 35/- to 40/- per live cwt.

SHEEP AND LAMBS.—Prime quality sheep and lambs in demand at firmer rates; secondary classes a freer sale. Prime mutton 1/0½ to 1/1½, secondary 11d. to 1/-, rougher 9d. to 10½d. per lb., and lambs 31/- to 65/- per head, according to class.

DAIRY CATTLE.—Increased supplies totalled 366 head, few of which could be classed as of A 1 merit. Best beasts £30 to £35, seconds £25 to £27, others £18 to £24 each.

PIGS.—Supplies continue to fall, and the 460 pigs on market found early buyers at high prices—namely, 130/- to 140/-, sows 110/- to 115/- per cwt.; slips and bonhams 40/- to 80/- each.

EDINBURGH.—Large show of cattle and sheep; black polled bullocks £37 to £36, coloured polled bullocks £37 to £37, black polled heifers £24, half-bred ewe lambs 60/- to 85/-. Cheviot ewe lambs 73/6 to 90/-, half-bred wedder lambs 58/- to 68/-, best cows £48 to £54 10/-, others £38 to 43.

GLASGOW (Merklands).—3,057 Irish cattle landed in the past week comprised 2,497 fat stock, which were slaughtered for Food Ministry; 2,550 store cattle, and 88 cows. Details:—2,079 fat, 318 stores and 72 cows from Belfast; 148 fat, 370 stores and 16 cows from Derry; 906 stores from Dublin, and 318 fat and 453 stores from Cork.

PROVISIONS.

DUBLIN FISH.—On offer: 140 boxes from one trawler, 15 packages salmon, 10 lots lobsters, 200 boxes herrings, 350 boxes mackerel, and a small amount from country senders. Salmon 3/- to 3/7, soles (black) 1/10 to 4/-, turbot 8d. to 1/3, brill 1/- to 1/3 per lb.; lobsters 10/- to 35/- per 13; herrings 8/- to 22/6, mackerel 8/- to 11/-, plaice 40/- to 112/-, cod 40/- to 80/-, whiting 20/- to 70/-, ray 15/- to 27/-, hake 90/- to 106/-, white sole 80/- to 140/-, and prawns 10/- per box.

DUBLIN VEGETABLE.—York cabbage large 40/- to 50/-, small 25/- to 32/- per load; lettuce 1/6 to 2/- per dozen; carrots 2/6 to 5/-, parsnips 2/- to 4/- per dozen bundles; scallions 1/- to 1/3; turnips 1/- to 1/6 per bunch; peas 12/- to 16/- per bag; swedes 6/- to 9/- per cwt.; parsley 1/-, mushrooms 2/- to 3/-, and broad beans 1/6 to 2/- per chip.

DUBLIN POTATO.—Queens and other varieties 8/- per cwt., ex-store.

GRIMSBY FISH.—Haddocks, sprags, codling, whiting, ling, coalfish, cod, catfish, pollock, 7/- (with heads on); lemon soles and plaice 12/-, halibut 21/-, dabs 18/-, roker 7/-, hake 9/6, skate 7/-, and smoked fillets 12/6 per stone.

PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

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Nightly at 7.30. Matinée Saturday, 2.30.
JIMMY O'DEA in
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Nightly at 7.30. Mat. Sat., 2.30.
"THE RIVALS."
Retained Fourth Week.

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Alexandre Dumas' Masterpiece, "THE CORSICAN BROTHERS." With Douglas Fairbanks, Jun., Ruth Warrick, Akim Tamiroff. At 2.5, 4.20, 6.35, 8.50.

GRAFTON Continuous 2 to 10.30. 2.0, 4.20, 6.35, 8.55.
Barbara Stanwyck—Henry Fonda, in "GOOD MORNING, DOCTOR." Wesley Ruggles' Merry Comedy.
TO-MORROW (FRIDAY): ABBOTT and COSTELLO In their Latest Laughter Riot, "KEEP 'EM FLYING."
Book Now for Sunday Night.

THEATRE DE LUXE.
Dublin's Super Cinema. 3-10.30 p.m. Robert Stack, Richard Dix, Broderick Crawford, Frances Farmer in "BAD LANDS OF DAKOTA." Showing at 4.04, 6.40, 9.16. Also Hugh Herbert and Peggy Moran in "THERE'S ONE BORN EVERY MINUTE."

CORINTHIAN.
James Craig & Dean Jagger, "VALLEY OF THE SUN," at 2.15, 4.38, 7.1, 9.24. James Newill in "SKY BANDITS." At 3.27, 5.50, 8.13.

ASTORIA Dun Laoghaire. Con. 3.15-10.30 p.m.
Bela Lugosi, The East Side Kids in "SPOOKS RUN WILD." Also Jack La Rue and Mary Healy in "PROFESSIONAL BRIDE."

QUEEN'S—A Show you'll Enjoy—"SERENADE TO HAPPINESS," No. 4. With Eire O'Reilly, Jimmy Harvey and Star Cast. At 4.30 and 7.30. Film—Abbott and Costello in "HOLD THAT GHOST." Showing at 3, 6 & 9.15.

GREEN 3.50, 6.40, 9.20.—Dorothy Lamour, "TROPIC HOLIDAY." Also Wilfrid Lawson, "THE TERROR." Fri.—Ginger Rogers, David Niven, "BACHELOR MOTHER."

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

SUGAR RATIONING.
NOTICE TO RETAIL SUGAR MERCHANTS.
SURRENDER OF SUGAR COUPONS.
LICENSED SUGAR RETAILERS are notified that the August sugar coupons—i.e., those marked D, D, D and D, which 1 2 3 4 have been cancelled, and in respect of which sugar has been supplied, should be detached from the sugar registration page of each of their customers and forwarded to the Department of Supplies.
Before despatching the coupons retailers must complete Form S. 60, obtainable at any Post Office or from the Government Publications Sale Office, 3/4 College Street, Dublin (Price 1d.). In completing the Forms S. 60 retailers are advised to carry out fully the instructions printed on the form.
PARTS I. AND II. OF THE FORM S. 60 RELATING TO THE MONTH OF AUGUST SHOULD BE DESPATCHED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER THE END OF THE MONTH AND NOT LATER THAN THE 10th SEPTEMBER, 1942.
The sugar coupons for September—i.e., those marked D, D, D, D and D, should 5 6 7 8 9 not be forwarded until further notice.
JOHN LEYDON, Secretary.
Department of Supplies, Dublin.
27th August, 1942. W.H.Co.
C 1149.

EMERGENCY POWERS (No. 166) ORDER, 1942.
WAGES (STANDARD RATE) ORDER.
ELECTRICIANS—IRELAND.
TAKE NOTICE that an Advisory Tribunal, established under Article 9 of the above Order by the Minister for Industry and Commerce, will investigate and report on an application under Article 10 of the Order, for a Wages (Standard Rate) Order, made by the Irish Engineering Industrial Union, applicable to ELECTRICIANS employed in ELECTRICAL CONTRACTING BUSINESS OR INSTALLATION OR HOUSE WIRING WORK IN EIRE.
TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that a sitting of the Tribunal will be held on Friday, 4th September, 1942, at the hour of 11 a.m. in the Offices of the Department of Industry and Commerce, 51 Dawson street, Dublin, and that all interested parties are hereby invited to submit evidence at the said time and place.
K. O'BRIEN KENNEY, Secretary to the Tribunal. W.H.Co.
C 1149.

LOCAL APPOINTMENTS COMMISSION.
POSITION VACANT.
REGISTRAR-RADIOGRAPHER, COUNTY HOSPITAL, ENNIS, CO. CLARE.
Application Forms for, and particulars of, the above-named post may be obtained from the Secretary of the Commission, 45 Upper O'Connell street, Dublin. Salary scale:—£100-£5-£120 a year with emoluments. Each candidate must be a Member of the Society of Radiographers or have completed a course of training (recognised for membership of that Society) in X-ray work. Age limits: 21-40 years on 1st July, 1942, with extension in certain cases.
LATEST DATE FOR RECEIVING COMPLETED APPLICATION FORMS, 15th SEPTEMBER, 1942. W.H.Co.
C 1149.

EMERGENCY POWERS (No. 166) ORDER, 1942. (THIRD AMENDMENT) ORDER, 1942.
An Order, entitled the Emergency Powers (No. 166) Order, 1942 (Third Amendment) Order, 1942, has been made by the Government under the Emergency Powers Act.
The Order will be on sale in due course, and copies may be purchased from the Government Publications (Sale Office), 3/4 College street, Dublin, or through any Bookseller.
Department of Industry and Commerce, DUBLIN.
27th August, 1942. W.H.Co.
C 1149.

COMPOUND FEEDING STUFFS.
WARNING.
The sale of compound feeding stuffs, other than those manufactured under licence granted by the Minister for Agriculture, is prohibited. All concerned are warned against purchasing compound feeding stuffs manufactured by an unlicensed person or firm.
The names and addresses of licensed manufacturers of compound feeding stuffs may be obtained from the Department of Agriculture (Section 21), Dublin.
D. TWOMEY, Secretary.
Department of Agriculture.
August, 1942. W.H.Co.
C 1149.

EMERGENCY POWERS (NO. 166) ORDER, 1942 (FOURTH AMENDMENT) ORDER, 1942.
An Order, entitled the Emergency Powers (No. 166) Order, 1942 (Fourth Amendment) Order, 1942, has been made by the Government under the Emergency Powers Act.
The Order will be on sale in due course, and copies may be purchased from the Government Publications (Sale Office), 3/4 College street, Dublin, or through any bookseller.
Department of Industry and Commerce, Dublin, 27th August, 1942. W.H.Co.
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NOTICE is hereby given that the Transfer Books of the Company will be Closed from the 2nd September, 1942, to 22nd September, 1942, inclusive.
By Order of the Board.
JAMES O'REILLY, Manager and Secretary, 3 Palace street, Dublin. K.A.A.

CHURCH SERVICES
ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL. — 10 a.m. 4, Evensong.
CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.—10.45, Matins, 3, Evensong.
ST. MARK'S CHURCH.—8 p.m., Intercession Service.

ROYAL CESAR ROMERO in
"GENTLEMAN AT HEART"
At 2.0, 5.50, 9.30.
Also RICARDO CORTEZ in
"WHO IS HOPE SCHUYLER?"
At 3.14, 6.55.
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REGAL ROOMS At 2.40, 4.55. CINEMA 7.5, 9.25.
GINGER ROGERS in "ROXIE HART."
FRIDAY—Book for Sunday Night. Topping the thrills of "Waterloo Bridge." Claudette Colbert, John Payne, in "REMEMBER THE DAY."

SAVOY At 2.0, 4.20, 6.35, 8.55.
SPENCER TRACY in "TORTILLA FLAT."
FRIDAY—Book for Sunday Night. Make Way for the Merriest, Maddest, Comedy Sensation of Any Season. Claudette COLBERT, Joel McCREA, Mary ASTOR, in "THE PALM BEACH STORY."
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CARLTON Last Day! At 2.15, 4.35, 6.55, 9.15.
Claude Rains in "THE WOLF MAN." Hugh Herbert in "Don't Get Personal." To-morrow (Book for Sunday Night).
"THE MYSTERY OF MARIE ROGET,"
Edgar Allan Poe's Great Thriller, with MARIA MONTEZ, PATRIC KNOWLES, Maria Ouspenskaya, and John Litel. Also Irene Hervey in "Frisco Lil."

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LEGAL NOTICES

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ALICE MAUD PHETHEAN, late of Mount Verona House, Summerhill, Dun Laoghaire, Co. Dublin, Spinster, Deceased.
Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, NOTICE is HEREBY GIVEN that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims or demands against the estate of the above-named Deceased (who died on the 24th day of May, 1942, and to whose estate Letters of Administration were granted out of the Principal Probate Registry at Llandudno on the 11th day of August, 1942, to Norman Phethean, of 905 Collingwood House, Dolphin square, London, S.W.1, Cotton Manufacturer, the Administrator therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts, claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said Administrator, on or before the 31st day of October, 1942, after which date the said Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and he will not be liable for the assets of the said Deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debts, claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.
Dated this 25th day of August, 1942.
JAMES O'CONNOR and CO., 1 Dame street, Dublin, Solicitors for the said Administrator.

EIRE
AN CHUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS DUITHCHE
(District Court of Justice.)
District Court Area of Dublin, District No. 31.
SIRS,—Take Notice that I, ANNIE O'SULLIVAN, Secretary to Hotel Russell, Limited, of 102/104 St. Stephen's Green, in the City of Dublin, do intend to apply at the next Annual Licensing District Court to be holden in and for the County of the City of Dublin for a Certificate of Transfer of the Publican's Licence to sell Beer, Cider and Spirituous Liquors by Retail attached to the Hotel Russell at and in the houses 102/104 St. Stephen's Green, in the Parish of [illegible] [illegible]
To: [illegible]

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
[illegible] DAVIDSON [illegible]
[illegible]
Dated this 26th day of August, 1942.
RICHARD J. MULDOWNEY, Solicitor, 1a Lower Ormond quay, Dublin.

Irish Times

THURSDAY, AUGUST 27, 1942.

Suspense in Egypt

No news, or next to no news, has come from Egypt for more than six weeks. At the end of the first week in July, Marshal Rommel, who previously had extricated himself from a difficult position in Libya, and, turning apparent defeat into victory, had made a spectacular thrust across hundreds of miles of desert almost to the gates of Alexandria, was facing General Auchinleck's forces at El Alamein. There his impetus exhausted itself. He had driven the British Eighth Army more than two hundred miles into Egypt, at the height of a North African summer, but he could do no more. Not merely were his men tired, but the opposing forces had occupied strong positions on a prepared line, where, according to all accounts, they were ready to fight to the death. Since then the two sides have been resting. They have reconnoitred each other's positions, both by land and by air; they have had almost daily encounters—in the course of which, according to General Auchinleck's farewell speech last week, the British have recouped their former losses to the extent of 20,000 prisoners—and have been occupied in a constant jockeying for position. There has been, however, no major movement on either side. All through July it was expected daily that either the Imperial or the "Axis" forces would initiate a new offensive at any moment; but nothing happened, and the Egyptian front has obtained a smaller and smaller place in the news. It is only within the last few days that the situation has become "tense" once again. Perhaps, Mr. Churchill's visit to the Eighth Army at El Alamein has created an impression that hostilities are about to be reopened; perhaps, the replacement of General Auchinleck by General Alexander has something to do with it. At all events, it is believed that one side or the other will attack in the very near future. Fresh troops have arrived to reinforce General Alexander's army, while Marshal Rommel's *Afrikakorps* is known to have been brought up to its original strength by the advent of new drafts *via* Italy and, possibly, Crete. The expectation of an early clash is increased by the fact that the Egyptian moon is almost at its full, and it is at such a season that tank warfare, like bombing raids from the air, is employed to the best advantage.

Nobody ventures to prophesy which side will take the initiative —if, indeed, either takes it for some time yet. The prevailing view some weeks ago was that General Auchinleck — who was then in control—would be the first to strike, but the news of Marshal Rommel's reinforcements has created a different impression. In fact, except from the tactical point of view, it makes little difference who begins; the battle is bound to occur, and it will be one of the decisive battles of the present war. Neither side will have a limited object in mind. General Alexander is inspired by one purpose, and by one purpose only—to drive the "Axis" troops from Africa, and to render their return impossible. Only so can the Allied Powers hope to release the strain upon the Mediterranean, which has done them so much harm during the past year, and to make it reasonably safe once again for the passage of British convoys. Marshal Rommel's function is even more ambitious. He hopes, as one may presume, not merely to occupy Egypt, but to thrust northwards against the British Ninth Army in Palestine and Syria, and eventually, through Iraq, to join hands with the German forces which are driving southwards into the Caucasus. The first clash — the clash expected at any time now — will be the battle of his life; for on it depends the realisation of all his plans. He is too good a soldier to underestimate the opposition—if, indeed, he, rather than General Alexander, is the first to strike. He is well aware that the British have begun to take the situation in the Middle East with extreme seriousness. They not merely have reinforced the Eighth Army at enormous risk, but they have paid careful attention to the necessities of the Ninth Army—and of the Tenth Army, which, according to rumour, is being strengthened as rapidly as their shipping resources will permit. There were many intelligent observers who declared at the beginning of the war that its decisive phase would take place in the Middle East. For ourselves, we believe that the present war will be decided on the territory either of Germany or of England; yet there can be no denial of the importance of the Middle Eastern theatre. Whoever is victor in the forthcoming trial of strength will be master of the Mediterranean; and the master of the Mediterranean will have something very like a stranglehold upon his opponent.

"Big Top"

The Circus has come to town—to Hampstead Heath, in London. The Big Top has been raised and the stakes hammered home; the brass band has struck up "The Entry of the Gladiators"; the scarlet-clad ringmaster has cracked his whip, and the white ponies trot decorously into the sawdust ring—just as if, outside, there were no such things as time-bombs and sandbags and piles of shattered bricks. It is only a little circus, but all the ingredients are there. There are the tight-rope walkers, the bare-back riders, the equilibrists, and, of course, the clowns; there are ponies, dogs and monkeys: no elephants, indeed—Dumbo has left the ring for Hollywood — but three Genuine Man-Eating Lions. What is the secret of the perennial charm of the circus? It is not merely more and greater spectacles, more startling feats; for every circus ring is not Olympia, and the colossal productions of Mr. Bertram Mills are not to be duplicated in every hamlet in Ireland. On the contrary, the programme of the circus remains ever the same. This year the tumblers may be called the Weng Chee Brothers; next year they may be the Three Vivescos, or the Bouncing Bertinis; but still the leaps and the rolls and the tumbles are the same. The bare-back rider swings to and from the broad back of the same steed; the brass band blares the same stirring Sousa tunes, and the same men and women sit on the tiered seats who sat there years ago, as children, seeing the gorgeous, gaudy spectacle for the first time. The clowns are not, perhaps, as funny as they were then. The trapeze artist is not as daring as the trapeze artist at that first and greatest of all circuses; the temerity of the fragile maiden who leaps through a hoop from the back of her thundering charger is not so breath-taking to one who has seen her dare, and survive, many times. Yet the old faces are still at the ringside mingled with the latest generation of neophytes; for the Big Top has gone up in Clancy's field, the bright caravans are sitting around it like satellite stars, and not 'Appy 'Ampstead itself was ever more gay than the village on holiday. The charm has worked again. The circus has come to town, and the town has come to the circus.

LORD HOLMPATRICK is indisposed at present, and his medical adviser has ordered him to take a complete rest from all business.

Lord Rossmore has arrived in Dublin from Monaghan.

Sir Frederick Moore, who is ill at his home, Willbrook, Rathfarnham, was said yesterday to have passed a good night and to be somewhat stronger.

Mr. and Mrs. Goodbody have arrived in Dublin from Co. Limerick, and are staying at the Shelbourne Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Lazenby have arrived in Dublin from Graiguenamanagh, Co. Kilkenny.

Mrs. Hope Johnstone, who has been staying in Dublin with her mother, Mrs. Locke, has returned to Scotland.

The engagement is announced between 2/Lt. Richard G. Raison Cross, S. Staff. Regt., elder son of Mr. and Mrs. George Cross, The Croft, Nuneaton, and S/O. Maureen P. O'Beirne-Ryan, W.A.A.F., eldest daughter of Dr. and Mrs. O'Beirne-Ryan, 9 York place, Harrogate.

The marriage of Hugh, son of the late Michael McGuane and of Mrs. McGuane, Shangort, Salthill, Galway, and Máire, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Healy, Hillside House, Wicklow, will take place on September 3rd.

Dr. R. Hamilton Taylor has returned to 37 Upper Fitzwilliam street.

Dr. E. A. Reinert, B.D.S., has left 67 Fitzwilliam square until 7th September.

Dr. P. J. Keelan has returned to Church View, Mullingar.

Mr. Kevin Keenan has left Mountpleasant till 14th September.

Distinctive Coats for Early Autumn, in Alpaca, Angora, Camelhair and Wool; also in a variety of attractive Homespun Tweeds, are now arriving at Switzers, Grafton street.

Many charming styles are included in the smart collection of New Autumn models which have just arrived, and are being shown in Our Salons.—W. Leon, Ltd., 24 Grafton St., Dublin.

First collection of Autumn Models will be shown at Miss Doran's Salons, Dawson St., Tuesday, 1st September.

Leaders of Fashion in all Spectacle Wear.—Dixon and Hempenstall, Grafton street.

Sale—Further reductions of all Models at Miss Doran's Salons, Dawson street, to-day.

Bring the children to Arnotts for their complete school outfits.

"Hershelle" Suit, in Navy, with Inset Front in Claret.—Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton street.

Fashion Shoes for special occasions. See the display at Stephens and Bourke.

Back to School—Spend your money wisely. Even more important, use your coupons to the best advantage. Griffith's Juvenile Shoe Store, 20 Wicklow St., for a selection of Children's Footwear—second to none.

At her wedding Miss Maureen Murphy, Lucan, wore a beautiful Ivory Satin Frock with heart-shaped neck and full skirt cut in one with train. Her Tulle Veil was arranged over a Coronet of Pearls. Going away she wore a smart Tweed Suit trimmed Velvet. Complete Trousseau by Marjorie Boland.

Bridesmaids' Frocks were Delphinium Crêpe trimmed Cyclamen Sequin, with matching Floral Hats, by Marjorie Boland.

Chic Brown and Turquoise Ensemble worn by Mrs. Murphy by Marjorie Boland.

Miss Jean Hollwey, Cabinteely, at her wedding, wore a charming Two-piece of Maize Crêpe, with Floral Hat to tone, by Marjorie Boland.

The Cedar Rose Angora Two-piece worn by Miss Goulding, Shankill, at her wedding by Marjorie Boland.

Miss McCaughey, Harcourt street, wore a charming Wedding Gown of Ivory Crêpe, the bodice encrusted with Crystal Beads. Her Tulle Veil was held in place by a head-dress of Roses. Trousseau by Marjorie Boland.

At her wedding Miss Maureen Rishworth, Leeson Park, wore a pretty Turquoise Crêpe Frock with Floral Tulle head-dress. Going away she wore a smart Brown Angora Two-piece. Bridesmaids' Frocks and Trousseau by Marjorie Boland.

Mrs. Rishworth wore a Chic Navy Frock by Marjorie Boland.

Miss Doreen Lumley, Sandycove, at her wedding, wore a becoming Frock of Honey Crêpe trimmed Lavender Blue Beads. Her bridesmaid wore a pretty Lavender Blue Frock by Marjorie Boland.

At her wedding Miss Nugent, Leinster road, wore an attractive Petrol Blue Ensemble by Marjorie Boland.

To LADIES.—Ladies' Department for Medical Appliances, Artificial Silk, Elastic Stockings, or Lastex and Lastestar Stockings, stretching both ways.—Fannin and Co. Ltd. 41 Grafton street.

Sharpley's, Specialists, Baby Linen, Nursery Accouchement Sets. Price List.—2 Nassau street Dublin.

IRISH WILLS

William Brydon Hill (Company Director), Barlogue, Dublin road, Drogheda, died 26 April, 1942—£16,646.

Adam Lloyd-Blood, "Wenonah," Wilton and Leeson Park, Dublin (Solicitor), died 12 June, 1942—£17,126.

John George McConnell, 82 Leinster road, Rathmines (Gas Official), died 19 June, 1942—£2,516.

Mrs. Maria Harte Martin, of Sunny side, Ballintemple, Co. Cork, died May 21st last—£8,095.

MR. JAMES DILLON'S ENGAGEMENT

Miss Maura Phelan, Ardeen, Davis road, Clonmel, whose engagement to Mr. James Dillon, T.D., has been announced, is the second daughter of the late John [illegible] Mrs. Phelan. Her father was a prominent figure in the commercial and sporting life of the town, and for many years was President of the Clonmel Rowing Club. Miss Phelan is an active member of Clonmel Red Cross Branch.

It is understood that Mr. Dillon met his future bride while both were on holiday recently at Carna, Connemara.

CRUISKEEN LAWN

By Myles na gCopaleen

HERE is something I bet you did not know—that your second finger (beside the little finger) is longer than the other one beside it, all appearances and preconceived notions to the contrary. Lay your hand palm down on the table and measure both fingers carefully along the left edge.

Some days ago, when Caucasian Armavir was captured, I was thinking in trying to link the event with prophetic Virgil (qui ca-cinit ca-casum Troiae). But my restless wasplike mind moved away from Troy to Troytown, from that to Shawn Spadah and thence to noble Orby that sleeps under the great rock at Boss Croker's in Glencairn. You are too young to remember them but they were kingly animals, each of them carried enough real nobility in one fetlock to blast sky-high all the egalitarian spoof ever mouthed your unkempt work-shy Marxists. I had five shillings on Troytown (borrowed from one of our gardeners) and that night, with no warning at all, I asked that pink empire of flesh which I own to deal with its first bottle of Guinness's stout, brewed within a stone's throw of the little house where first I saw the light of day. I was fourteen, I think, on the day when Troytown showed them all what an Irish horse was, and I remember being afraid to go home while carrying internally my tuppence-worth of infantile inebriation. But the grandfather, with whom I was staying, had also known a thing or two that day and was above in the bedroom being undressed by the gardeners. To this day I hear his frenzied screams of "Up the Boers!"

Troytown. Troy. As yes. How time flies! How the bird wingeth! How fast the great black oxen trample us down, in a wild phantom mess of Disney technicolor! Why do we wonder at war to-day and blame poor Baldwin when the earliest surviving flights of the human intellect could deal with nothing else? Arma virumque cano. There is some Hungarian Count Kano concerned in the present kreeg, on one side or another. Arma virumque Kano?

Or what about Armagh virumque cano?

Remember my old one? You can't have your Caucasus and eat it.

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When is a sign refreshing?
When it is of the times.
When does it boil down to the same thing?
When all is said and done.
What does a thing suffer through the centuries?
Many vicissitudes.
In what is the origin of the Irish round towers shrouded?
The mists of antiquity.

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You have discovered by now, I suppose, that the statement made at the beginning of this article is a lie. Do you realise that I have thieved several seconds of your life from you without a hope of recompense? Your little store of time is smaller. The bird, etc. And good enough it is for you, sticking your beak into the papers when you should be working. If you are a lady, please overlook the asperity of my tone. Sit down and on mauve note-paper of rarest fragrance write me a letter that reeks with passion, with the warm travail of the heart. That will keep me quiet for a while.

YOUTHFUL PAPER COLLECTORS

BARNEY AND RITA DO WELL

Even the infants of Dublin have turned their energies to collecting waste paper. Yesterday an Irish *Times* reporter went out to interview Master Barney Blood, aged 7, of 27 Townsend street, who, with his sister, aged 4, are regular free-lance collectors in their spare time for Messrs. Duan and Co. When they are not at school they go round the neighbouring houses and often are able to turn on honest sixpence by collecting about a stone. Barney's boldest exploit so far happened a few days ago when he walked into the yard of a rival paper collecting firm, Messrs. P. O'Reilly, Ltd., and asked the manager if he had any waste paper.

When our reporter and photographer called Barney was out doing his rounds. But there was no lack of models, all of them genuine waste paper collectors. The first to arrive, however, was Rita Sweeney, aged 10, also of 27 Townsend street. She said she collected a stone or half a stone of paper almost every day. Monday, Wednesday and Friday are the best days, these being the days when the neighbours put out their bins and general rubbish.

The congregation of Christ Church, Dun Laoghaire, have collected 2cwt. of paper within the last two weeks. A large receptacle is placed in the porch of the church and members of the congregation bring their waste paper along both on Sundays and week days. The difficulty is that Sundays, when there is the largest attendance, is the day on which people feel least like carrying parcels of waste paper.

On Tuesday, for the first time, two of the Dublin house-to-house collecting teams exceeded 8cwt., which is the figure aimed at by the organisation. The previous best was about 6cwt. The south side districts are leading the field at present, the best returns being made from Ballsbridge, Rathmines, Terenure and Harold's Cross areas.

FUNERALS

VERY REV. L. B. FFRENCH

The Bishop of Killaloe (Right Rev. H. E. Patton, D.D.) conducted the services at the funeral of the late Very Rev. L. B. H. E. ffrench, Dean of Clonfert, at Ballinasloe yesterday. He was assisted by the Ven. Archdeacon Townshend, Ahascragh, and Canon C. Burrows, Eyrecourt. The other clergy present included—Rev. H. McCullagh, Aughrim; Rev. Mr. Smithwick, Nenagh; Rev. G. Crampton, Woodlawn; Rev. Canon Stanistreet, Roscrea; Rev. W. McGahey, Athlone. Representatives of the professional and business interests in the town and district joined the funeral procession from St. John's Church to Creagh Cemetery. Among those in attendance were Lady Ashtown, the Hon. Miss Trench, Woodlawn; the Hon. Miss Dillon, Clonbrock, and the Hon. Miss L. Cosby, Woodlawn. Numerous wreaths were placed on the grave.

MR. R. T. McDONNELL

The funeral of Mr. Robert T. McDonnell, Belgrave square, Monkstown, Co. Dublin, took place to Dean's Grange Cemetery yesterday, following Requiem Mass, celebrated in St. Patrick's Church, Monkstown, by the Rev. Father Hopkins. The chief mourners were—Mrs. Dorothy O'Donnell (widow); Mr. and Mrs. R. O'Donnell (parents); Leo O'Donnell (brother); the Misses Maisie and Aileen O'Donnell (sisters); Mrs. Delaney (mother-in-law); Miss Noel Delaney (sister-in-law); Richard Morris (cousin); Mrs. Morris (relative).

The last prayers at the graveside were said by the Rev. T. Dunn, C.C., Monkstown.

LOCAL ELECTIONS

CORK CO. COUNCIL.—Skibbereen (7 seats). Elected—T. J. Murphy (Lab.), D. J. Kingston (F.G.), M. Sheehy (F.G.), J. Hodnett (Lab.), C. J. Bryan (F.G.), A. Donovan (F.F.), J. J. Donovan (F.G.).

Composition of the new County Council is, accordingly—19 Fine Gael, 12 Fianna Fail, 10 Labour, and 5 Independents.

AT OTHER PORTS

	Morning.	Evening.
Cork	7. 4	7.23
Galway	6.43	7. 1
Limerick	8.13	8.31
Waterford	8. 2	8.21

ON THE WIRELESS

IRISH PROGRAMME

6.30—Chopin Mazurkas. 6.40—Stock Exchange, Sports Results, Official Announcements. 6.45—News. 7.5—"For the Housekeeper," featuring Eiderdown Renovations and Listeners' Requests. 7.35—Organ and Choral Recital, relayed from the Cathedral, Thurles. Organist: Dr. Theo Verheggen. 8.10—"Sin i bhur bhfairrige agaibh"—Sceal le Domhnall O Corcordha ar n-aistriu ag Diarmuid O hAlmhain. 8.30 — Irish Radio Orchestra (Guest Conductor, Commandant C. Sauerzweig). 9.15—"Richard Kirwan, the Philosopher of Dublin": Talk by Deasmumhan O Raghallaigh. 9.30—"Now I Ask You," a Programme for "People who dislike Classical Music," presented by P. P. Maguire. 10.0—Nuacht. 10.10—News in English. 10.30—Scottish Half hour.

B.B.C. PROGRAMME

7—News. 7.15—Band. 7.30—Records. 7.55 — Prayers. 8 — News. 8.15 — Kitchen Front. 8.20—Records. 9—Orchestra. 9.45—Organ. 10.5—Schools. 10.15—Service. 10.30—Music While You Work. 11—Billy Merrin. 11.30—Violin and Piano. 12—Sextet. 12.30—Workers' Playtime. 1—News. 1.15—"Calling the Home Front." 1.20—Harry Roy. 2—String Quartet. 2.30—Band. 3—Rhythmic Records. 3.30—Orchestra. 4.15—"Worth Hearing Again." 4.30—"Passports to Fame." 5—News in Welsh. 5.20—Children's Hour. 6—News. 6.30—News in Norwegian. 6.45—"They Shall Rise Again." 7.5—Farm Record. 7.20—Music by Australian Composers. 8.5—Yvonne Arnaud. 8.35—"Nine Points of the Law." 9—News. 9.20—War Commentary. 9.35 — "Marching On." 10.10—Service. 10.30—New Revue by Ronald Jeans. 11—English and Australian Songs. 11.20 — Poems. 11.30—Lou Preager. 12—News.

FORCES PROGRAMME

6.30—Records. 7—News. 7.15—Band. 7.30—Records. 8—News. 8.15—Records. 9—Orchestra. 9.45—Organ. 10.5—"Words and Music." 10.30—Music While You Work. 11—Billy Merrin. 11.30—"I Sing to You." 12—Sextet. 12.30—Workers' Playtime. 1—News. 1.15—Harry Roy. 2—Sidney Davey and his Players. 2.30—Band. 3—Rhythmic Records. 3.30—Variety Orchestra. 4—Radio Reconnaissance. 4.20—Geraldo. 5—Organ. 5.15—"Ack-Ack, Beer-Beer." 6 — News. 6.30—Rhythm Club. 7—American Sports. 7.5—"You Silly Little Thing." 7.15—At Home to the Forces. 8.15—Short Story. 8.35—Student Songs. 9—News. 9.20—"Think on These Things." 9.35—"Marching On." 10.10—Kenway and Young. 10.30—Music While You Work. 11—Close Down.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

THE BUTTER SHORTAGE

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—In view of the rapidly increasing shortage of butter, we advocate an immediate rationing on the coupon system. Already there are butter queues outside the creameries. The Dublin Board of Assistance is trying to find a substitute for butter, as only 50 *per cent.* of normal requirements are available to the Board. Customers are being "rationed" at the discrimination of the retailer, some getting all the butter they demand, others only 25 *per cent.* of requirements. Some people who can obtain butter are crocking it in preparation for a future shortage, while others go short now. In some small shops in the poorer districts, customers are forced to buy other goods before the shopkeepers will give them any butter. This practice amounts to blackmail, and must be stopped.

Butter is a necessary part of a healthy diet, now that the essential fats are almost unobtainable in any other form; therefore, available supplies must be fairly divided. We believe that the only fair method of distribution is by rationing on the coupon system, and butter should be rationed at once.—Yours, etc.,

ANDREE D. SKEFFINGTON,
M. HILDA TWEEDY,
Joint Hon. Sec., Irish Housewives' Committee.
Hillcrest, Stillorgan, Co. Dublin.
August 25th, 1942.

NATIONAL REFORMS

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—In my opinion, the conditions with which we are faced demand:—

(1) That the life of Dail Eireann be extended for the period permitted by the Constitution.

(2) That a Coalition Government be established for such extended period.

(3) That, on the expiry of the extended period, the Government appeal to the country as a Coalition Government.

(4) That Ministries of Civil Defence, Health, Transport and Post-war Reconstruction be established, the Ministry of Health to be distinct from the existing Ministry of Local Government and Public Health, and to deal chiefly with problems created by the present emergency and the rising toll of tuberculosis.

(5) That some form of compulsory national service be introduced, thereby ensuring a disciplined nation and equal service on the part of all citizens.

(6) State control of transport, mines, minerals and peat resources.

(7) Incomes up to, say, £500 per annum to be brought within the scope of the Unemployment and National Health Insurance Acts; increased contributions and increased allowances under the said Acts.

(8) Increased old age pensions, blind pensions and widows' and orphans' pensions. Pensions to all ranks of the National Army discharged through disease, with special provision for after-care treatment.

(9) Wages and salaries to bear some relation to cost of living index figure.

(10) School-leaving age to be raised to 15 years.

(11) Family allowances.

(12) Compulsory savings.

(13) State borrowing within reasonable limits to finance our defence schemes.

(14) Drastic penalties for profiteering, black market activities and hoarding—the retail prices of essential commodities to be kept under constant review.

(15) The Garda Siochana to be increased, so as to enable that force to deal adequately and efficiently with its additional duties.—Yours, etc.,

WM. A. PODESTA, P.C.
Dublin, August 22nd, 1942.

WHATELY AND NEWMAN

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—In your notice of the sermon by the Rev. Canon W. C. Simpson it is stated that the Rev. John Henry Newman (later Cardinal) "anticipated an invitation from Archbishop Whately to accompany him to Dublin, and was sorely disappointed for being overlooked."

Newman, in his "Apologia," says that Whately had practically given him up in 1831 (when he became archbishop), and that his reason told him it was impossible that they could have got on together longer had Whately stayed in Oxford.

Perhaps Canon Simpson would kindly give a reference to the authority of his statement or, otherwise, clarify a confused impression in the minds of some of your readers at that particular juncture in the relations of those two great men?—Yours, etc., JOHN HARTLAND.
6 Lomond avenue, Dublin,
August 25th, 1942.

After sending between 150 and 300 repatriates to Ellis Island for investigation, Government agents at New York yesterday renewed their search of the liner Gripsholm, just arrived from Europe.—(Reuter.)

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Morning	0.35	1.19
Evening	1.11	1.52

LONDON LETTER

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
WEDNESDAY NIGHT.

MISS MAUREEN O'HARA, the Irish film star, is to play opposite Mr. Charles Laughton in her next film, a Hollywood advice to-day announces. Mr. Laughton, who gave the Dublin girl her first big screen chance, is a schoolmaster in occupied France in the new picture. It was in "Jamaica Inn," made at Elstree four years ago, with Laughton as the Regency rake in the Daphne Du Maurier novel, that Miss O'Hara sprang to screen success. Since then she has made many pictures in Hollywood, and was also starred with Laughton in "The Hunchback of Notre Dame."

Irish Blackberry Imports

Lord Woolton is prepared to issue licences for the import of fresh blackberries from Ireland for jam-making and preserves. Last year nearly two thousand tons were exported. This year blackberries are extremely plentiful in Britain, and this may depress the price which the jam manufacturers here will pay for Irish imports. This year's crop in Eire is reported to be a very good one.

McGill Promotion

Professor John Johnstone O'Neill, M.Sc., Ph.D., Dawson Professor of Geological Sciences at McGill University, Montreal, since 1929, has been promoted Dean of the Faculty of Engineering. Son of Thomas John O'Neill, of Ireland, he was born at Port Colborne, Ontario, fifty-six years ago. On graduation from McGill, Yale and Wisconsin, Dr. O'Neill spent three years with the Stefansson Expedition to the Canadian Arctic before being appointed a geologist on the Canadian Government survey. He spent some time as a petroleum geologist in Kashmir and British India before being appointed Assistant Professor of Geology at McGill in 1921.

The Scilly Isles

The ban on rail transport for flowers after November 1st is a grievous blow to the Isles of Scilly and to West Cornwall. Years ago the isles looked to early potatoes, and not to flowers, for sustenance and reward. There are great hazards in relying entirely on early potatoes, and acting upon the suggestion of Mr. Augustus Smith, then lord proprietor of the isles, a few bold inhabitants embarked upon flower-growing, and one day very early in the 'seventies a hat-box containing narcissi reached Covent Garden from the isles. From this small beginning grew the industry which before long was thinking in terms of tons rather than of hat-boxes.

Alaska's Trees

Alaska, recently in the news, is the largest territory of the U.S., and covers over half a million square miles—more than one-fifth of the size of the U.S. itself. Contrary to a widespread belief, no less than three-fourths of Alaska is within the North Temperate Zone and on the same latitude as Norway and Sweden. The population is only 75,000, of which 30,000 are whites and the remainder Indians. Each year 25,000 migrants—fishermen, lumbermen and miners—come into the territory for seasonal work. Three-quarters of the country's timber is within two and a half miles of water. Alaska's total timber resources amount to one hundred million acres. The country's proximity to Russia—between Cape Prince of Wales and Cape Peek the Bering Strait is only 45 miles wide —presents the possibility of U.S. supplies being sent via Alaska, and a great road, 1,500 miles long and to cost £6,000,000, connecting up the U.S. with Alaska, was begun last March.

Temperature of Grain

Experience on British farms reveals that grain when it has been harvested by a combine harvester has a moisture content of anything between seventeen and twenty-five per cent. Before the grain can be safely stored the moisture content must be reduced to about fifteen. Therefore, unless the grain is going to be sold immediately to a miller or maltster it has to be dried, but artificial drying might easily ruin it unless the temperature is carefully controlled. No simple method of measuring moisture in the grain has yet been devised, but a very good guide is to try how far the hand can be plunged into a sack full of grain. If the hand penetrates with ease, deep enough for the wrist to be well covered, the grain can be considered dry enough for storage.

AN IRISHMAN'S DIARY

"The Irish Playgoer"

I was fortunate recently in coming across some copies of *The Irish Playgoer* for the years 1899-1900, which give some interesting reflections on the theatrical life of Dublin at that period.

In many productions the gallery seems to have taken a very vocal part. I find that at the Theatre Royal pantomime, "Robinson Crusoe," "a row arose in the gallery just as Miss Pierce was trying to tell the story, and nobody heard it." At a performance by the Dublin University Amateur Dramatic Club "the College Boys present behaved most unruly during the love passages, and also when the flunky, Montmorency, was on."

Incidentally, "The Private Secretary" is referred to as "that evergreen farcical comedy," to be revived "for the how-manyeth-time"—in 1900! I wonder if "Charley's Aunt" can beat that.

Naughty Girls

Under the title, "Naughty Girls in Dublin," there appears an article dealing with the question: "Is Dublin the most easily shocked town in Europe?" An incident is described in which an actress, playing in "A Greek Slave," during a dance "for a moment pulled the skirt open and showed a very pleasing leg": at which there came "a number of hisses."

The writer says, regretfully, that the hisses must have been at the lady's singing powers, as "someone had requested her to sing up." He says that in many productions of the same show none of the different actresses "met with anything but rapturous applause in this 'Naughty Girl' selection, although personally I think the said incident in the dance quite unnecessary."

He concludes: ". . . it would take more than a momentary peep at a lady's limb through a split skirt to shock a Dublin latter-day audience; and right sorry I am to have to say it." *O tempora! O mores!*

What About Tins?

After months of stalling, a national waste-paper collection has, at last, been inaugurated, and seems to be yielding results, although somewhat slowly. I wonder whether the Government will let matters rest here or whether they will consider expanding their scheme into a general salvage campaign. I am sure that tons of rags, bottles and bones, which could be employed for some useful purpose, are at present being consigned to the dust-bin.

I know at least one *Irish Times* reader who has the shelves of her pantry lined with gleaming, empty cocoa tins. She refuses—quite rightly—to throw them away, hoping against hope that some day someone will take them off her hands to keep the wheels of industry rolling. But at the present time they are a liability, and she does not know what to do with them. Neither does her grocer, who is usually an infallible guide in matters such as this, so they continue to gleam, uselessly, in an already overloaded shelf.

Perhaps some day cocoa manufacturers will run out of cocoa tins, and will issue frantic pleas for empties. But by this time, in desperation, she will probably have converted them into hay-boxes or sawdust fires, or something.

Other Dublins

A geographically-proficient person has rather put me upon the dunce-stool by asking: "Which is the nearest Dublin to Dublin?" Somewhere in Wales, it would appear, there is a hamlet bearing the name of our own capital city.

It was one up for my friend. I was able to inform him, however, that in the United States there are no fewer than twenty-four Dublins, whilst Canada and Queensland have one each, the latter, indeed, boasting a quite important "County Dublin." No doubt, the naming of these other Dublins was due to the home-love of emigrants from the Liffeyside.

QUIDNUNC.

WEDDINGS

Denham—Rishworth. — The wedding took place yesterday at Christ Church, Leeson Park, Dublin, of Dr. Peter Denham, son of Dr. and Mrs. C. Holmes Denham, Knapton, Dun Laoghaire, Co. Dublin, and Miss Maureen Rishworth, daughter of the late Mr. J. H. Rishworth and of Mrs. Rishworth, 26 Leeson Park, Dublin. The Right Rev. A. E. Hughes, Bishop of Kilmore, officiated, assisted by the Rev. R. S. Stewart. The bride was given away by her uncle, Professor F. S. [illegible], and was attended by her sister, Miss Eileen Rishworth. Mr. R. O. D. Reid was best man, and the ushers in the church were Mr. R. Bathurst and Mr. J. Marks. After a reception held at the bride's home, Dr. and Mrs. P. Denham left for their honeymoon.

Cornish—Leonard. — The wedding of Mr. Percy N. Cornish, youngest son of the late Rev. H. H. Cornish and of Mrs. Cornish, Rosmeen Park, Sandycove, Co. Dublin, and Miss Doris I. Leonard, only daughter of Dr. and Mrs. A. G. G. Leonard, 18 Belgrave road, Rathmines, Dublin, took place yesterday at Holy Trinity Church, Rathmines. The Service was conducted by the Rev. Canon J. Tobias. The bride, who was given away by her father, was attended by her cousin, Miss Phyllis Spurgeon. Mr. John B. Cornish was best man. A reception was afterwards held at 18 Belgrave road, Rathmines, by the bride's mother, and later in the day Mr. and Mrs. P. N. Cornish left for Northern Ireland.

Sterling—Joyce.—Mr. Harold Sterling, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Sterling, Londonbridge road, Dublin, was married yesterday at Holy Trinity Church, Rathmines, to Miss Molly Joyce, daughter of the late Mr. J. A. Joyce and of Mrs. Joyce, 2 Belgrave Villas, Dublin. The Service was conducted by the Rev. Canon Tobias, assisted by the Rev. J. E. Crockett. The bride was given away by her brother-in-law, Captain S. McIlwaine, and there were two bridesmaids, the Misses Judy Warren and Rita Woodhead. The best man was Mr. Victor Sterling. A reception was subsequently held at the Royal Hibernian Hotel, and later in the day Mr. and Mrs. H. Sterling left for Co. Donegal.

Smith—Clarke.—At Adelaide Road Presbyterian Church, yesterday, the wedding took place between Mr. Victor G. Smith, third son of Mr. G. H. Smith and the late Mrs. M. J. Smith, of Annville, 30 Old County road, Crumlin, to Miss Phyllis Dorothy Clarke, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Clarke, Whitehall Villa, Kimmage road West, Terenure. The Rev. N. J. Thompson officiated. The bride was given away by her father. Miss Gladys M. Clarke, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, and Mr. John K. Wright was best man. After the ceremony the bride's mother received the guests at a reception in the [illegible] Hotel, after which Mr. and Mrs. Victor G. Smith left for the North of Ireland.

IRISH NEWS IN BRIEF

Offaly Murder Charge.—In connection with the murder charge against Bernard Kirwan (33), Ballinclogahan, Rahan, further depositions were taken at Tullamore yesterday. To-day's sitting will be held at Portarlington.

Waste Paper Collection.—Castledermot Parish Council has started a scheme for the collection of waste paper. A central depôt has been established, and Mr. A. Cope, a local merchant, has offered to carry the waste paper on his lorries to the railway station free of charge.

County Manager Welcomed. — Mr. Patrick J. Bartley, the new County Manager for Laoighise-Offaly, arrived at Tullamore yesterday, and entered upon his duties. He was accompanied by Mr. T. A. Hayes, County Manager, Longford-Westmeath, and was formally welcomed to Offaly by the leading county officials at luncheon.

Price of Herrings.—At a meeting of fishermen and Dublin fish merchants held at Rosslare Harbour a price of £1 12/6 a mease (7/6 a mease more than last year) for this season's herrings was agreed upon. There are 600 fish in a mease. The season opens in September.

Man and Wife for Trial.—At Limerick Circuit Court yesterday Michael Wallace (26) and his wife Angela (20), 105 O'Connell street, Limerick, were returned for trial, in custody, charged with house-breaking and the larceny of goods to the value of approximately £300 from various city premises between November, 1941, and April, 1942.

No Underground Shelter.—Cork Harbour Board yesterday decided against a proposal to build an underground air raid shelter for their employees who are members of the Auxiliary Fire Service at a cost of £83, and instead directed the engineer to submit an estimate of the cost of converting the creosoting cylinder into an air raid shelter.

Captain J. W. Moran.—Requiem Mass for the repose of the soul of Captain John William Moran, O.B.E., senior engineer of the Gold Coast Railway, was celebrated yesterday in St. Patrick's Church, Monkstown, by the Very Rev. L. Sheehan, P.P. Captain Moran, who died in West Africa, was the elder son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Moran, 61 Elm Park Gardens, London, and 5 de Vesci terrace, Dun Laoghaire.

Tyrone Milk Suppliers' Demand.—A statement issued at Omagh on behalf of milk producers, and arising out of the refusal of creamery suppliers to supply the new milk factory, states that they are not asking for anything unjust or unreasonable. They claim that milk producers are entitled to the full amount [illegible] the Ministry [illegible] for milk, and declare that the Ministry [illegible] by the Ministry for winter milk are only to relieve and remedy the shortage which the Ministry created. They demand that creameries be kept in efficient working order until more normal conditions return.

CANCER RESEARCH

BALTIMORE (Maryland), Wednesday.—The fight against cancer may be helped by research discoveries reported to-day. Clues, it is claimed, have been found as to the cause of two of the commonest types of human cancer. Standardisation of the first blood-test for prostatic cancer is also claimed. In studies of an operational technique, improvement was reported in 80 per cent of "hopeless cases" of men with advanced cancer of the prostate gland. Similar results are said to be hoped for in the treatment of breast cancer.—(Reuter.)

THE SUN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Rises	6.24	6.26
Sets	8.29	8.26
Lighting-up Time	9.29	9.26

LATE M. E. LACHEVRE

Requiem Mass for M. Etienne Lachèvre, son of Chef d'Escadron d'Artillerie Jacques Lachèvre, the French Military Attaché in Dublin, who met his death accidentally while touring in the Pyrenees, was celebrated yesterday at the University Church, St. Stephen's Green, by Rev. Dr. E. O'Brien, C.C.

Present at the Mass were the boy's father, the French Minister and Madame de Laforcade, M. Cauvet Duhamel, Secretary to the French Legation; Mynheer L. R. A. W. Wesselink, Netherlands Consul-General; M. Gaor, Belgian Minister; Lt.-General D. McKenna, Chief of Staff, and Mrs. McKenna; Colonel Liam Archer, Assistant Chief of Staff; Colonel J. J. O'Connell, Major D. J. Lawlor, Colonel P. Fenrick, M. E. Lastocquey, M. P. Chauvire, M. and Mme. Bernier, Mme. D. Aizieres, M. and Mme. Jean Albert, M. M. Mme. J. Dior, M. Jean Albert, M. L. Kerzaut, M. L. Albertine, Miss M. L. Patton, Miss E. Kirwan, Mrs. J. O'Kelly, Mr. R. Markin, Mme. P. Benson, Hon. G. Browne, Mr. Thomas McGreevy,

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

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BIRTH.

ROBINSON—August 17, 1942, to Howard and Lucy Robinson, of Rowanburn, Castle Park, Rathfarnham, a son.

MARRIAGE.

LANE and METCALFE—August 20, 1942, at St. James's, Spanish place, London, Lt.-Col. Alan Patrick Lane, the Loyal Regiment, youngest son of Colonel D. T. Lane, I.M.S. (retired), and Mrs. Lane, to Daphne, daughter of the late Colonel H. C. Metcalfe, D.S.O., the Northamptonshire Regiment, and Mrs. Metcalfe.

DEATHS.

ALLEN (Canada)—July 19, 1942, at her son's residence, Yakima, Washington, Farah Georgina Allen, second daughter of the late George and Elizabeth Hunter, Woodenbridge, Co. Wicklow.

BENSON—Eleanor Georgina Susanna Benson, the beloved wife of the Rector of Tara Union (suddenly). Funeral, Kentstown, to-morrow (Friday), 28th, 3 p.m. (Owing to travel difficulties, friends from a distance not expected.)

BOXWELL—August 21, 1942, killed air accident, England, Noel Francis, Sergt., R.A.F., aged 19 years, second son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Boxwell, Strangford Gardens, Dublin. Funeral from St. Barnabas' Church to St. George's Burial Ground to-day (Thursday), at 3 p.m.

FLEMING—August 25, 1942, Canice, dearly-beloved younger son of James and Catherine Fleming. Funeral private.

HAMILTON—August 25, 1942, at the Countess of Wicklow Memorial Hospital, Isabella, beloved wife of John Hamilton, Main street, Arklow. Deeply regretted. Funeral to New Cemetery to-morrow (Friday), August 28th, after Service in Methodist Church at 2.30 o'clock.

McMAHON—August 25, 1942, at Sancta Anna Nursing Home, Wellington road, John McMahon, B.L., late Irish Land Commission. Deeply regretted. Requiem Mass, 10 o'clock, St. Mary's, Haddington road, to-day (Thursday). Funeral (private) afterwards.

UNKLES—August 25, 1942, at Tobberunane, Skreen, Co. Sligo, Catherine, relict of the late Robert Unkles. Funeral to-day (Thursday), at 3 o'clock, to Skreen.

WHITTLE—August 26, 1942, at her daughter's residence, 45 Leinster road, Sarah, widow of the late John Whittle, Naas, Co. Kildare. Funeral private. No flowers; no mourning.

WHYTE—August 26, 1942, in Birmingham, after operation, Devereux Hatton, aged 38, eldest son of the late Lewis Whyte, of Balbriggan, and Dorothy Whyte, Keady, Howth road, Raheny, dearly loved husband of Maisie Whyte.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this Column will be found in Page 3.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

Mr. and **Mrs. T. H. Gethings** and family, Osborne Cottage, Greystones, desire to return their sincere thanks to all those who sympathised with them in their tragic bereavement, and trust that they will accept this acknowledgment, as it would be impossible to reply individually to the numerous letters and tokens of sympathy received.

IN MEMORIAM.

LATIMER—Fifth Anniversary—In everloving memory of my dear husband, John Thomas Wood Latimer (Jack), who died 27th August, 1937.—Mina.

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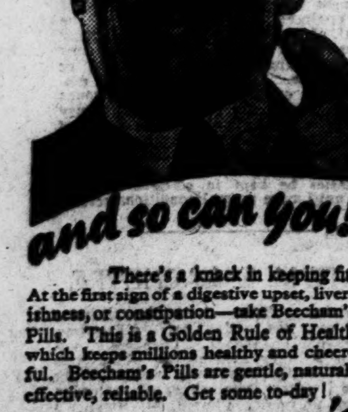

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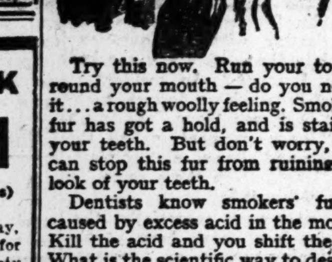

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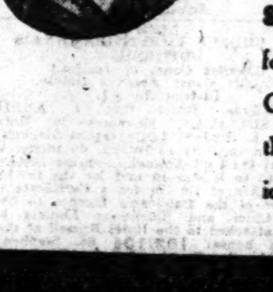

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